Phone 826. Box 1641
TRUSCOTT VAPOR LAUNCHES.
THE NESBITT ELECTRIC CO
33 Fort St., Victoria. B.C
Sole Agents for British Columbia.

The Daily Colonist.

$6 per ton Household Coal
Hall & Walker
100 Government Street. - 'Phone 83

VOL. LXXXVIII NO. 129 VICTORIA, B. C. TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1902. FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

XMAS IS LESS THAN SEVEN WEEKS AHEAD.

This is the the proper time for you to select your Xmas gifts, especially those you intend sending abroad.

Our Xmas stock is now in. It represents the choice of the world's greatest values personally selected from all the great jewelry centres of Europe and America.

We carry all lines, the cheap as well as the more expensive, and we are quite willing to lay aside any article you may select awaiting your further instructions. Just as willing with a 60c. article as with a $50.00 one. Make your selections early.

Challoner & Mitchell
Jewelers and Opticians, - 47-49 Government Street.

CHALLENGE CUPS
On Exhibition At
Four Crown Cup — For Trap Shooting at Erskine, Wall & Co.
Corby Cup — For Horses at The Grotto.
A. B. C. Cup — For Boxing at Morton's.
Moet & Chandon Cup — For Horse Races at The Brown Jug.
Player's Cup — For Tug of War at The Army AND NAVY CIGAR STORE.
TURNER, BEETON Co., Limited, Agents.

FORCE
15c. Package.
DIXI H. ROSS & CO.,
CASH GROCERS.

NOW IS THE TIME
For Papering and Interior Painting
LOWEST RATES. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.
J. W. MELLOR & CO., Limited, 78 Fort St.
Estimates on application. 'Phone 46

HUDSON'S BAY CO., Agents.

FOR SALE.
Point Ellice Boat House with boats and fittings complete, as a going concern. Any reasonable offer accepted. Also two small boat houses for sale. For particulars apply to ALLAN S. DUMBLETON, Law Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria.

QUAMICHAN HOTEL
DUNCANS.
Reconstructed, rebuilt and newly furnished throughout. Heated by hot air. Electric bells, bath and all modern improvements. Sample rooms for commercial men. Good hunting and fishing.
FRED. H. NELSON, Proprietor.

JUST RECEIVED
The following lot of birds, which are for sale at my place: Black Headed Nuns, Blue Indogoes, Nonpareil, White Java Sparrows; Mocking Birds, South African Parrots, one pure bred Irish Setter pup, also Angora Guinea Pigs, pure bred. New shipment of Prairie State Incubators, best in the world; also Climax Leg Bands. All at lowest market prices.
M. NODEK,
No. 12 Store St.

CUT FLOWERS
Roses, Carnations, Chrysanthemums We can ship to any part of the country. Wedding, Bouquet and Floral Designs a specialty.
FRANCIS
THE FLORIST.
104 Government St. Phone 98.
Greenhouses Esquimalt Road, Phone 219

RAZORS
SAFETY RAZORS.
Every gentleman can now shave with comfort. We show you how to keep them in order. You can save time and money by shaving yourself. Call and inspect our line of shaving outfits at
FOX'S, 78 Gov't St.

Real Estate For Sale

House on South Turner street	$1650
1 to 30 lots, Esquimault road, $100 to	150
2 21-100 acres, Dallas road	5000
House on Green street	1000
House on Green street	900
Fine Residence, Dallas Road	3000

THE STUART ROBERTSON CO. LTD.
Successors to
A. W. MORE & CO., LTD.
23 Broad Street.

Dominion Hotel
VICTORIA, B.C.
FIRST CLASS TABLE AND SERVICE. ROOMS WITH OR WITHOUT BATH. AMERICAN PLAN—$1.25 TO $2.50 PER DAY.
EUROPEAN PLAN—(ROOM ONLY) 50c. TO $1.50 PER DAY.
FREE BUSS.
STEPHEN JONES, Prop.

Shares For Sale

38,000 Treasury Mines	1c
5,000 Fontenoy	3¼c
1,000 Sunset, Similkameen	2½c
1,000 Similkameen Valley Coal	11c
5,000 Fairview	5½c
1,000 to 30,000 Mts. Sicker & Brenton Mines, Ltd.	10c
100 B. C. Mining Record, $1 shares	35c
237 Northwestern Development Syndicate	$2
3 B. C. Permanent Loan & Savings Co.	$300
3,000 Payne	14½c
1,000 Cariboo-McKinney	21c
Granby Smelter	Wanted
Yreka	Wanted

For other quotations call at our office.
THE STUART ROBERTSON CO. LTD.
Successors to A. W. More & Co., Ltd., 23 Broad St.

Advertise in the Colonist

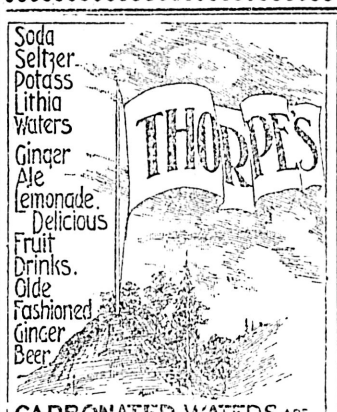
DRIFTED SNOW FLOUR
BEST FOR PASTRY
COLUMBIA FLOURING MILLS CO.
R. P. RITHET & COMPANY, Ld.
AGENTS.

London & Lancashire Fire Insurance Co.
OF LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND.
Robert Ward & Co., Ltd.
General Agents, Victoria, B. C.

These Are the Days of Fairs
Westminster, Victoria and others, but don't forget Hastie's Fair, and the bottom value they give. It is a fact that they give as good goods, better prices than any obtained elsewhere.
Hastie's Fair, 77 Government Street

THE HICKMAN TYE HARDWARE CO.
LIMITED.
HEADQUARTERS FOR THE FOLLOWING LINES:
IRON AND STEEL — IRON PIPE AND FITTINGS
BUILDERS' HARDWARE — MECHANICS' TOOLS
LOGGERS' AND — LAWN MOWERS, HOSE
MINING SUPPLIES — GARDEN TOOLS.
32 and 34 Yates Street, VICTORIA, B.C.
TELEPHONE 59 P. O. DRAWER 613.

J. A. SAYWARD
ROCK BAY, VICTORIA, B.C.; WHITE HORSE, YUKON; and NELSON, B.C.
Sashes and Doors and Wood Work
OF ALL KINDS
Rough and Dressed Lumber, Shingles, Laths, Etc.



CARBONATED WATERS ARE UNRIVALLED IN CANADA.
PURE & SPARKLING

CLOVER HAY.
Do you want a good article? Come and see ours.
SYLVESTER FEED CO.,
City Market.

MAINLAND and BRITISH LION
CIGARS.
If your dealer doesn't keep them, buy them from E. A. Morris.
C. G. FORSBERG,
Vancouver, sole agent for Vancouver Island.

It pays to use
"QUEEN'S HEAD"
GALVANIZED IRON
Works better, lies flatter, lasts longer than others.
Every sheet guaranteed.
JOHN LYSAGHT LTD., MAKERS,
A. C. Leslie & Co., Montreal,
Managers Canadian Branch.

Premier at Guildhall

Mr. Balfour Speaks on National Topics at Lord Mayor's Banquet.

Believes Every Nation In Europe Is Anxious to Maintain Peace.

Sir Marcus Samuel Sworn in Yesterday With Time Honored Customs.

London, Nov. 10.—The annual banquet given by the Lord Mayor of London this evening was attended by about 1,000 persons.

Premier Balfour, replying to the toast, "His Majesty's Ministers," referred to the splendid services rendered by the colonies during the South African war, which showed, he said, that they were not mere sleeping partners in the Imperial firm. An unanswered question, however, was whether the war would be followed by a not less successful peace. The Premier said he looked to the future of South Africa in a hopeful, but not a too sanguine spirit, as every source of wealth there practically was tried up. He said he believed much good would come of Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's visit to South Africa, which would be only the first of a long succession of such visits, and that the time was now ripe for closer constitutional relations between the Colonies and the Mother Country. Mr. Balfour declared that he knew nothing about the "fantastic bargain" invented by the press upon the occasion of the visit of "a great and friendly sovereign to his nearest relatives." Emperor William, according to the Premier, had no political motives in coming to see King Edward.

Dealing with the situation in Somaliland, Mr. Balfour said that the waterless waste and fanatics were always difficult to deal with, but that the Somaliland question was not of great importance in the national development, except as it brought into "high relief the friendly feelings of Italy towards Great Britain.

The Premier congratulated Lord Lansdowne upon the commercial treaty with China, and the Japanese alliance. He said he believed that every great power in Europe, was not only desirous of peace, but firmly resolved that peace should be maintained. He deprecated international prejudices of any kind, and especially the anti-English feeling on the continent over the Boer war, as endangering the concert of Europe, which in the past has been a great instrument of peace, and which is destined to play an even greater part in the progress of the civilization of Christendom.

Today for the first time in the history of London the Lord Mayor's procession traversed the unfashionable thoroughfare of Petticoat Lane. In recognition of the Jewish ancestry of Sir Marcus Samuel, the new Lord Mayor, Jewish London especially celebrated the event. The poorest inhabitants of Whitechapel and Houndsditch were banquetted at the expense of their wealthier co-religionists.

The quaint ancestral procession of the chief executive of the city through the streets of the metropolis was probably more brilliant than usual. Seven richly decorated floats and fifteen bands representing crack regiments, together with the city officials and the London Guilds, make up a goodly pageant. A unique feature was the float representative of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, surmounted by the arms of both countries, and surrounded by a guard of Japanese and British bluejackets. The procession left the Guildhall at 11 a. m., and traversed the processional streets of the old city of London to the Law courts, where, according to ancient custom, the Lord Mayor was formally presented to the Lord Justice and was sworn in.

RAILWAY ROW.

Lively Time by Rival Roads at Grand Forks.

Grand Forks, B. C., Nov. 10.—A construction crew of the Great Northern railway last night secretly put in a crossing across the line of the Kettle Valley railway at the junction, about three miles from town. The march stolen on the Canadian road was not discovered until an early hour this morning, when the Kettle Valley people placed an engine in position at the diamond in order to prevent the approach of the Great Northern construction train, which was equipped to complete track laying into the Grand Forks depot, a mile and a half distant. The Great Northern gang, a hundred strong, on reaching the scene half an hour later found their progress barred.

The Great Northern gang outnumbered the Kettle Valley forces three to one, and their ranks were augmented partly by excited sympathizers from Grand Forks and Columbia. The Great Northern is operating under rights alleged to have been secured from the V. V. & E. railway. Recently the railway committee at Ottawa granted an order authorizing the Great Northern to cross the Kettle Valley tracks. The latter road, however, has an injunction restraining the Great Northern from crossing. The case is to come up for hearing before the Supreme court at Vancouver on the 14th instant. The proposed Great Northern branch, besides reaching Grand Forks, is surveyed into the Granby smelter and to Phoenix, British Columbia.

LATER.

The Kettle Valley line this evening at 6 o'clock removed its engine which was obstructing the track at the Great Northern & Kettle Valley crossing. It is stated that both roads have reached an amicable settlement of the dispute, but the details cannot be learned. The Great Northern construction gang will resume track-laying to the local depot tomorrow.

THE GUN KICKED.

And Second Barrel Went Off With Deadly Effect.

Bracebridge, Ont., Nov. 10.—Howard Easterby 35 years old, was accidentally shot and fatally wounded by the discharge of a gun in the hands of Harry Simmons, who was thrown down by the weapon kicking badly, and in trying to regain himself he discharged the second barrel a bullet from which entered Easterby's back causing death four hours later.

MANGLED BY CARS.

London, Ont., Nov. 10.—David McKenna, 22 years old, while stealing a ride on a freight train last night fell between the cars, and had both legs so badly mangled that they had to be amputated. He is now in a hopeless condition.

C. P. R. TRAFFIC.

A Large Increase Shown for Last Week.

Montreal, Nov. 10.—C. P. R. traffic for the week ending November 7 was $910,000, and for the same week last year, $847,000.

UNITED STATES CORN CROP.

Preliminary Estimate of Yield Per Acre.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The preliminary estimate of the average yield per acre of corn, as published in the monthly report of the statistician of the Department of Agriculture, is 26.8 bushels, as compared with an average yield of 16.7 bushels in 1901, 26.3 bushels in 1900 and 1899, and a ten year average of 23.4 bushels. The general average as to quality is 80.7 per cent., as compared with 73.7 per cent. last year, and 85.5 per cent. in 1900.

CUBAN TREATY.

Negotiations Between United States and the Island.

Washington, Nov. 10.—While the Cuban reciprocity treaty remains in Havana, President Palma has supplied Senor Quesada, the Cuban minister here, with full instructions as to the representations to be made to the United States government respecting it, and these have already been made known to Secretary Hay. It is gathered that the main issue between the negotiators is the rate of rebate to be allowed upon Cuban sugar and tobacco entering the United States, and it is possible that there will be a compromise between the 25 per cent. which the United States government is willing to allow and 50 per cent. which the Cubans demand.

Honors on the King's Birthday

Sir Richard Cartwright Is Appointed to the Imperial Council.

Governor General Gives a State Dinner in Honor of His Majesty.

From Our Own Correspondent.

London, Nov. 10.—Sir Richard R. J. Cartwright, Canadian minister of trade and commerce; Lord Revelstoke, chairman of the recent commission on the London docks, and retiring Lord Mayor Dimsdale, are among the new Privy Councillors.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 10.—(Special.)—The state dinner at Government House tonight was a most enjoyable affair. There was the usual list of guests, but Sir Wilfrid Laurier was not present owing to indisposition. There was only one toast, that of the King. It had been intended by the Countess of Minto to hold a reception for the guests and their wives and daughters at dinner, but this was cancelled owing to Lady Minto's indisposition. Among the outsiders present were Sir John Carling, Mr. Haggart, Mr. Tarte and Col. Otter.

Sir Richard Cartwright was the recipient of many telegrams of congratulations on his new honors from the King. Among those who telegraphed him was Lord Strathcona. He is the first colonial, not a prime minister, to become an Imperial Privy Councillor.

WRONGED HUSBAND.

Killed by the Man He Tried to Shoot.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 10.—Capt. Winfield Scott Tooker, of the Merritt & Chapman Wrecking Company, who had charge of the expedition which attempted to tow the captured Spanish cruiser Maria Theresa from the Southern coast of Cuba to Hampton Roads at the close of the Spanish-American war, was shot three times in the body and fatally wounded here today by J. M. Cahoon, a motorman of the Norfolk & Atlantic & Terminal Company. Capt. Tooker had been on bad terms with Cahoon for some months. The latter had boarded with the Tookers at Lambert's Point previous to the beginning of the trouble, which resulted in Tooker's separation from his wife. At 2 o'clock, as Cahoon was bringing the car into the station, Tooker was standing on the depot platform. "There is the man who ruined my home," said Tooker to Constable Furgason, who was with him, and at the same time Tooker drew a pistol and started towards the car. Cahoon was too quick for him, however, and before Capt. Tooker had got his weapon from his pocket the motorman fired the first bullet into his adversary's throat. The others entered Tooker's stomach and arm. Cahoon was arrested and Tooker was carried to St. Vincent hospital. He cannot live.

CHANGES IN THE CABINET

Mr. Prefontaine to Be Sworn in Today and Sutherland Gets Portfolio.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Nov. 10.—(Special.)—Liberal papers were privileged to announce today that Mr. Sutherland is to take the portfolio of Public Works and Mr. Prefontaine, M. P., becomes Minister of Marine and Fisheries. It was thought that Mr. Prefontaine would have arrived here at noon, but he spent yesterday at his country place at St. Agathe, so that he could not reach the city until this evening. The state dinner was in progress at Government House, and accordingly Mr. Prefontaine will not be sworn in until 11 o'clock tomorrow.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was not feeling well today, and did not therefore leave the house.

Mr. Brodeur, Speaker of the Commons, was in the city, but came up solely to attend the state dinner.

TRUE TO OLD LAND.

Sons and Daughters of St. George Celebrate in Buffalo.

Buffalo, Nov. 10.—Cheers for the King of the British Empire, and for the President of the United States were mingled at a banquet given in honor of King Edward VII. on his birthday by the Sons and Daughters of St. George tonight. Eighty men and women sat about the tables to observe the King's anniversary, and the occasion was taken as a ratification of the King's coronation as well. It was the first banquet given by the order since the Queen's Jubilee five years ago. On August 4, the order celebrated its twentieth year. The membership in Erie county is nearly 600.

Wireless Telegraphy

Marconi System to Be Installed From Cape Breton to Victoria.

Canada Will Be the First Country to Utilize the Grand System.

Substantial Reduction in Cost of Press and Commercial Messages.

J. N. Greenshields, K. C., of Montreal, who is visiting the Coast in connection with his mining interests, informed the Colonist yesterday that the Marconi system of wireless telegraphy will be put into practical use in Canada just as soon as the necessary stations can be installed. Thus Canada, which was the first country to establish trans-Atlantic steam navigation, will have the honor of leading the world in introducing wireless telegraphy to the world of commerce. The Dominion government has enabled Mr. Marconi to establish communication between Great Britain and Canada, and now the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of Canada is about to extend the system across the continent, so that events transpiring in the metropolis of the Empire will be wafted by invisible agencies across the Atlantic and the broad Dominion instantaneously—bringing Victoria into intimate touch with the centre of the world.

Before leaving the East Mr. Greenshields, who is one of the incorporators and solicitors of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of Canada, filed the requisite papers for the incorporation of the company, and in a short time the actual work of erecting the stations will begin.

In conversation, Mr. Greenshields said: "We are just about ready to operate the wireless system of telegraphing in Canada and Newfoundland. The company, besides operating an oceanic system from coast to coast, will also operate an inland service. My opinion as to the efficacy of the wireless system is, of course, not worth much, but from information I have had, I believe the system will prove a complete success. The company will have its station in Cape Breton finished within the next two weeks, when business will be commenced in earnest.

"We propose erecting stations at suitable points right across the continent from Cape Breton to Victoria. All the principal cities and towns of the Dominion will be included in the system, so that everything of importance happening in Europe or in Eastern Canada will be transmitted on the instant to every point in the West. Our principal stations will probably be Halifax, St. John, Quebec, Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, Kingston, London, Sault Ste. Marie, Port Arthur, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, Revelstoke, Kamloops, Vancouver and Victoria, though doubtless when the system is perfected, every town of importance in the Dominion will have its wireless telegraph service.

"The saving in tolls to the press and the public generally will be very considerable under the Marconi system. Press messages will be sent for just one-half the present charges, and there will be a reduction of 60 per cent. on commercial and private messages."

Asked as to the practicability of the Marconi system, Mr. Greenshields intimated that there was no longer any question as to its complete success, the official announcement of which may be made public at any moment.

NINETY SIX ARE MISSING

Steamer Elingamite Wrecked on Voyage Between Sydney and Auckland.

Melbourne, Nov. 10.—The British steamer Elingamite, bound from Sydney, N. S. W., for Auckland, has been wrecked on Three Kings Island. Forty-one of those on board the steamer were saved and 96 are missing.

The steamer Elingamite belonged to Huddart, Parker & Co., of Melbourne. She was used in the general passenger and mail service carried on by the company between the colonies and along the coast of Australia. She was built in 1887 at Newcastle-on-Tyne, and was of 1,675 tons net register.

Wellington, N. Z., Nov. 10.—The lost steamer Elingamite carried 110 passengers. She was wrecked Sunday morning. Six of her boats and two rafts left the vessel. Twenty-seven of the steamer's passengers and 15 of her crew landed on New Zealand. Steamers have been sent out to search for the rafts and four of the boats, which are missing. Lloyd's report says 37 of the passengers have been saved, but that it is feared the remainder have been lost.

SMALLPOX.

Fifty cases in One County in New Brunswick.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 10.—Fifty cases of smallpox are reported in Kent county. The affected ones have been concealing the fact which makes the work of stamping out the disease all the harder.

EMIGRATION TO CANADA.

Enormous Increase in Last Ten Months.

Toronto, Nov. 10.—The Telegram's cable says: "Emigration returns for October show that of those embarking from British ports to settle in Canada, 2,004 were English, 422 Scotch, 175 Irish and 3,168 of foreign extraction. During the ten months ending October the total emigrants for Canada were: British, 24,538, and foreign, 35,386. The Graphic says the British Board of Agriculture has much to accomplish before it can lay claim to rank with the Department of Agriculture in Canada.

GOVERNMENT DEFEAT.

Miss Hubert Scores a Win in Nova Scotia.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 10.—The Nova Scotia government has been condemned to pay Miss Hubert, a maiden lady, 70 years old, $500 for wrongful ejection from the legislature last winter, where she had gone to listen to a debate on a petition which one of the members had presented in her interest for alleged loss of property. The Attorney-General had given instructions to have Miss Hubert ejected because her visits were regarded as a nuisance, hence the action for damages, which were for $10,000.

THEY TRAVEL UNWILLINGLY

Some of the Doukhobors Have to Be Hauled Home in Wagons.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Winnipeg, Nov. 10.—What the authorities hope will be the last chapter in the Doukhobor pilgrimage began today at Yorkton, when the government officials started the Swan River contingent on their way home. Early this morning Agent Speers and an interpreter went through the cars and told them they would be taken out. They were told that if they wished they might ride, but if they would not accept this, they would be compelled to walk.

A number of Mounted Police lined up in front of the cars, and the people were given the choice of coming willingly. Agent Speers started off with Petroff, one of the leaders and the others reluctantly followed. Everything went fairly well for about a quarter of a mile, when they halted, and it was found necessary to load several of the leaders, very much against their will, into wagons, where they were kept. Again the procession started very slowly, as though they were anxious to turn back.

They seem to be in a rebellious spirit still, and it is thought that considerable difficulty will be experienced before they are landed at their village, some 60 miles distant. In every case the leaders declared that if they were forced to proceed they would return at the first opportunity to march Eastward in search of Jesus.

ANOTHER AGREEMENT.

Markle and His Men Come to Terms.

Hazelton, Pa., Nov. 10.—At a meeting of G. B. Markle miners today at Freeland, it was decided by the men to return to work. John Markle has agreed to reinstate all men except those who were evicted, and to also abide by the findings of the arbitration commission.

GOVERNMENT CONTROL.

United States Advised to Keep Coast Wireless Stations in Its Own Hands.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 10.—Government control of all wireless telegraph stations along the coasts of the United States is recommended by Rear-Admiral Royal B. Bradford, chief of the bureau, of equipment in his annual report of the concluding portion of which was issued today. Foreign governments it is pointed out are having careful supervision over the locations of wireless stations, thus insuring prompt transmission of messages at all times. Admiral Bradford says it is proposed to establish telegraph stations for the purpose of instructing officers and men at Newport, New York, San Francisco and possibly other naval stations. In order to ascertain the effect of heat which is said to be injurious to the successful working of wireless apparatus, a station will be established at Key West, Florida.

We are adding hundreds of new names to our consumers' list

But we have still capacity left to supply you with

Electric Light

If you give us your order. Wiring was never so cheap before. Ask the Hinton Electric Co., the Nesbit Electric Co, and C. C. McKenzie, Douglas Street, for estimates, and get rates on current from us.

B. C. ELECTRIC RAILWAY CO.,
35 YATES STREET

AN OVERCOAT STOCK

That meets every demand

The handsome overcoats we have on sale today from...$11.00 to $22.00

will interest every man in Victoria

RAINCOATS OF GRAVENETTE

and all the popular fabrics of the season.

W. & J. WILSON

83 GOVERNMENT STREET.

THE ISTHMUS DITCH.

Uncle Sam Still Worrying Over It.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 10.—Secretary Hay conferred today with Senator Cullom, chairman of the committee on foreign relations and Senator Morgan, the senior member of the minority of the same committee. Canal matters were under discussion and the secretary was able to show that substantial progress is being made toward the completion of a treaty with the Colombian government conveying the necessary rights for the construction of a canal across the isthmus of Panama. In fact, the negotiations between Secretary Hay and Senor Concha Colombian minister are so far advanced that it is now expected that by the end of the present week all papers for the proposition will have been closed, and little remains to be done to conclude the convention. It can be stated that the attitude of the Colombian negotiators presents no unsurmountable obstacle and that treaty can be framed acceptable to both sides yet in strict conformity with the spirit of the Spooner Act.

U. S. ARMY AND NAVY.

Notes From Annual Reports to Washington.

Washington Nov. 10.—Gen. Wm. Crozier, chief of the Bureau of Ordinance, in his annual report to the United States Secretary of War, says that the improved rifle has been completed and tried with very satisfactory results, the various changes not only improving the weapon but cheapening and accelerating the production. The old bayonet is a feature of the rifle. Its advantages, it is said, are to lie in the fact that it lightens the weight of the gun and dispenses with the bayonet and bayonet scabbard now in use, in the place of which intrenching tools may be carried by the soldier. The new piece weighs but a little less than 9½ pounds, considerably less than the German Mauser, yet has greater velocity and greater penetration. It is noted that opinions differ as to the value of the rod bayonet. The construction of 5,000 rifles has been authorized. Speaking of mountain guns and carriages, General Crozier says none of these tested have been found superior to the type now in use. Results have demonstrated, the report recites, that it is practicable, with the use of new explosives employed, to fire through a hardened plate of 12 inches in thickness without exploding the charge until after the plate has been entirely perforated, in other words, that the charge can be detonated within a ship's body after penetrating the armor. The suggestion is made that in future appropriations a great proportion should be applied for purposes of practice than for new installations. Of all the national armament the mobile artillery is in the most backward state of any, it is stated.

The most crying need of the United States navy, according to the annual report of Admiral H. C. Taylor, chief of the Bureau of Navigation, is more officers to man the warships. He declares that the preparations now going on for the mobilization of the fleet for the winter manoeuvres in the West Indies has brought the department face to face with the critical condition due to a lack of officers which, he says, has reached such a point as to be dangerous to the efficiency of the fleet. He says that the number of officers on United States ships is less than the number on board the ships of other navies, and submits a table showing that the present needs of the naval service require 1,600 officers, while the number on the navy list, including midshipmen after graduation, is only 1,023, or 577 short. This table is based upon the lowest possible number of officers needed in United States battleships, 17, against an average number for similar ships in foreign navies of 33 in England, 26 in France and 20 in Germany.

Women with pale, colorless faces, who feel weak and discouraged, will receive both mental and bodily vigor by using Carter's Iron Pills, which are made for the blood, nerves and complexion.

FIRE AT EAST LONDON.

Many Buildings Burned in Centre of Town.

London, Nov. 10.—A special despatch from Capetown announces that an area of eight acres at East London, Cape Colony, has been devastated by fire. Thirty large buildings in the centre of the town were destroyed.

SERIOUS FIRE.

Four Men Reported Killed in New York Disaster.

New York, Nov. 10.—A serious fire broke out tonight in the heavy wooden frame work on top of the 300-foot steel tower of the New Williamsburg bridge, at the foot of Delancey street. The flames spread to the false work along the main cables of the bridge, causing a shower of blazing timbers to fall into the river. Owing to the danger to passenger craft from the small cables hanging down to the water's edge, the police have stopped all traffic on the river. Four workmen are reported to have lost their lives.

LOCOMOTIVE TRUST.

Said to Have Its Eyes on Canada.

Montreal, Nov. 10.—It is reported on excellent authority that the big locomotive trust, the United States Locomotive Company, is behind the purchase of the big plot of ground at Longue Point, to be utilized for the erection of a plant with a capacity of a thousand engines per year. The company will to a large extent build for export, wages in Canada being lower than in the United States, and raw material quite as cheap. The Kingston Locomotive Works are to be taken into the new concern and removed to this city. The capital of the concern will be a million dollars.

MASCAGNI ARRESTED.

United States Alien Labor Law Invoked on Composer.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 8.—Mascagni, the famous Italian composer, was arrested tonight for violating the Contract Labor Laws of the United States, in bringing his own orchestra for an operatic tour.

Mascagni, who was arrested on complaint of his former managers, Mittenthal Bros., was released after a hearing in the Superior court today, on $4,000 bonds, which he furnished himself. Mascagni immediately retaliated by entering suit against the Mittenthals for $50,000 for alleged false arrest. After his arrest the Italian composer petitioned for an immediate hearing of his case, and it came up before Judge Bradley late in the day. Judge Bradley, after listening for an hour or two to the difficulties attending the settlement of the financial matters between Mascagni and the Mittenthals, decided that it would be impossible to give a decision offhanded. He therefore suggested that the counsel in the case hold a conference and decided upon some date when the full merits of the case could be laid before the court. In the meantime he told the lawyers that Mascagni was a foreigner and a great composer and should receive every courtesy from Americans. He then suggested that he be not held in this city under excessive bonds, and thought that $4,000 would be sufficient to bring Mascagni here when the case came up again.

Rome, Nov. 10.—The arrest of Mascagni, the Italian composer, at Boston, has caused an unpleasant impression and much indignant comment is heard. The papers ask if, in view of the personality of Mascagni, his arrest could not have been avoided, and inquire what would have been heard in the United States if Mark Twain had been arrested in Rome for law breaking through ignorance.

Poisons accumulate in the system when the kidneys are sluggish—blotches and bad complexion result—take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

E. & J. Burke's
Three Star
Old Irish Whiskey

It possesses a soft, mellow flavor produced by age and high quality.

DEFECTIVE GAS STOVE.

Three People Asphyxiated in New York.

New York, Nov. 10.—Sarah Frost, widow of Henry Frost, her son and Jas. Kiley, a boarder, were found dead from inhaling illuminating gas in their apartments in West 37th street today. The rubber tubing of a gas range had accidentally become loose.

ANOTHER MINER HURT.

Richard Price Badly Crushed at Nanaimo.

Nanaimo, B. C., Nov. 10.—(Special.)—Richard Price was seriously hurt in No. 1 mine tonight. He was caught between two boxes, his ribs were broken and he received other injuries. He is in a critical condition.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Old Lady Meets Horrible Death.

Woodstock, Ont., Nov. 10.—Mrs. Manser, 96 years old, living alone at Sweaburg, south of this place, was burned to death yesterday.

HAMILTON MAN DEAD.

H. Ghent, County Clerk, Carried Off by Heart Trouble.

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 10.—(Special.)—H. Ghent, clerk of the county of Wentworth, and registrar of the Surrogate court, is dead. Last night he became seriously affected by heart trouble, from which he had suffered recently, and about 1 o'clock this morning passed away.

WIPED OUT.

Chinese Knocked to Pieces by a Locomotive.

Brantford, Ont., Nov. 10.—A Chinaman was struck and killed by the express east of St. George bridge on the Grand Trunk railway yesterday. He was seen crossing the bridge as the train was approaching. A man shouted to him and the Chinaman ran for his life to get out of the way of the train. He crossed the bridge, but did not have time to step to the side of the track before he was struck by the train and hurled down the 25-foot embankment. A few minutes later he was picked up a shapeless heap. Examination of his papers disclosed the fact that he had come from China by the steamer Empress of India, landing at Vancouver on September 13.

COCKFIGHTING IN CUBA.

Want Their So-Called National Amusement Legalized.

Havana, Nov. 10.—There was a public demonstration here today in the interest of legalizing cockfighting in Cuba, and rescinding the military order prohibiting it. There were five bands of music in the procession, which marched through the streets of Havana, and five hundred countrymen on foot and on horseback, turned out for the occasion. Banners proclaiming cockfighting to be the national sport of Cuba, were much in evidence. Several winning game cocks were proudly exhibited in the procession. The demonstration presented their petition that cockfighting be legalized, to the senate.

AGAINST UNIONS.

Harvard President Springs a Surprise at Economic Club Meeting.

Boston, Nov. 10.—It was to the great surprise of the members of the Economic Club of Boston, at their banquet tonight, that President Eliot of Harvard, denounced the labor unions of the country as opposed to the education of the younger men and as against the development of manly instincts. In closing, he characterized the strike breaker, or "scab," as he called him, as "a good sample of the American hero." The speakers included John Hobson, the English political economist; Frank K. Foster of the American Federation of Labor; Hon. Chas. Francis Adams, and Prof. Frank Parsons, president of the National Ownership League.

BOER DELEGATES.

Party Visiting Canada Now at the Coast.

Vancouver, Nov. 10.—(Special.)—The Boer delegates who have been traveling through Canada enquiring particularly into farming methods for the purpose of instructing their countrymen on their return to South Africa, arrived today. They were met at Mission by Mr. R. M. Palmer, on behalf of the provincial government, and he will show them what he can of the agricultural capabilities of the Coast before the next Australian boat leaves on Friday. The delegates proceed to Australia by way of New Zealand. The party is accompanied by Capt. Fitzpatrick of the South African Constabulary, and Mr. W. W. Mooney of the Dominion Agricultural Department. Some of the delegates will visit Victoria tomorrow.

OPENING OF GRAND BAZAAR

Institute Hall An Animated Scene of Beauty—Many Attractions.

The bazaar of the Catholic ladies of St. Andrew's cathedral was opened at Institute hall last night with a very fair attendance. The hall is transformed. Pretty booths, decorated lavishly yet tastefully, the four larger ones representative of the four seasons, adorn the hall. Side rooms, with walls of burlap and art treasures adorning the panels; curtained corners with their array of trim tables, where the ladies serve tea and cake, soda water stands, candy booths, hung with rich tapestries of the East, and tiger skins of Bengal, fish ponds, and various other establishments all vie with each other to attract the interest, and incidentally the cash, of the visitor. The stage, framed in a setting of palms and foliage, held an orchestra, selected for the occasion, which discoursed music during the evening., and Prof. Peters, who is to give a night of conjuring tricks and legerdemain, during the progress of the bazaar, mystified many with his art, while the ever-attractive Big-Four sang some new quartettes in their well known style. Tonight the gymnasts of the Victoria Athletic club are to give a performance, human pyramids and other attractions being billed.

Of the four main booths it would be difficult to pick out one as more worthy of comment than the other three. The Spring booth, with its young leaves, shooting sprouts, buds and the flowers that bloom in the spring tra la, is in charge of the Young Ladies' Sodality, under Miss Sarah MacDowell, and there some handsome and costly works of the needle are found. The summer booth, brilliant with its trellis work of vines and midsummer flora, from the first daisy to the last rose of summer, is in charge of Misses Sehl, Conlin, Doran and Keast, whose costumes, light and airy, are in keeping with the booth. The autumn booth, with its tinted leaves, and foliage of the fall, managed by Mesdames McDermott, O'Keefe, Gowen and Hector, contains a fine assortment of fancy work, and the winter booth, with its crossed snow shoes, and its "looks-like-snow" look is in charge of Mesdames McQuade, Robertson and Lubbe. The candy booth, with its Oriental trappings, is attended by Mrs. McPhillips, Mrs. Langton, and Miss Bickford, and Miss Baines and other young ladies are in charge of the fish pond, while Misses McNiffe and A. Mellon are conducting a telegraph and post office, and Miss J. O'Sullivan has charge of the soda water fountain. The tea rooms, which were so prettily arranged and decorated by the ladies, are tended by Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Harlock, Misses L. and K. Powell and Mrs. Sampson, and many young misses are energetic in their efforts to sell chances for everything, from a Battenburg centre piece to a mineral cabinet.

The Bazaar will be carried on during the week.

BRITISH COAL.

Sixteen Thousand Tons to Warm New Yorkers.

New York, Nov. 10.—On Sunday 16,000 tons of anthracite coal reached here from Britain.

Session of City Council

Neither Bridge Nor Railway Matters Were Discussed Yesterday Evening.

An Interesting Report on the Efficiency of Sewerage System.

Contrary to general expectations, neither the matter of the allotment of the contract for the erection of Point Ellice bridge, nor the consideration of the proposition of the Victoria Terminal Railway company for an extension of time for the completion of the terms of the original contract entered into with the city in 1900, were considered at yesterday evening's meeting of the City Council, which, in consequence, was a somewhat brief one. The question of the satisfactory operation of the present sewerage system was dealt with in a very interesting report from the Streets, Sewers and Bridges' committee.

His Worship Mayor Hayward presided and all the aldermen were present.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, re Broad Street Improvement By-law, forwarded under protest on behalf of a client the sum of $835.62 in settlement of the amount due by their client. Referred to city solicitor.

The Victoria Machinery Depot wrote as follows:

Victoria, B. C. Nov. 10, 1902.

Gentlemen,—We have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 6th inst., and now hand you the following replies to the various questions contained therein:

No. 1—Six and one-half cents per pound.
No. 2—Six and one-quarter cents per pound.
No. 3—Six cents per pound, being one-quarter cent less.
No. 4—This has now been done.

VICTORIA MACHINERY DEPOT C. LT.
Per C. J. V. Spratt.

Referred to Streets, Sewers and Bridges' committee.

H. P. Bell forwarded a communication bearing on the bridge tenders, which took the same course.

Christian Sivertz, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council, forwarded a resolution which had been passed by that body referring to the proposal of the Terminal Railway company for an extension of time. Laid on the table to be considered at the time of the consideration of the railway proposal.

C. H. Topp, city engineer, reported as follows:

Gentlemen,—In accordance with petitions the city carpenter recommends the construction of the following plank walks:

Camosun street, east side, between Alfred and Gotham streets. Estimated cost $40.

Russell street, west side, from Esquimalt road, to Frederick street. Estimated cost, $33.

C. H. TOPP,
City Engineer.

Referred to Streets' committee.

The city solicitor, regarding the application of John Piercy for certain water privileges at Elk lake, submitted a legal opinion that Mr. Piercy had a right to ask for the concession specified in his first letter.

The council will act in accordance with the city solicitor's advice.

W. J. Dowler, C. M. C., reported having dealt with a number of communications of minor importance.

PETITIONS.

Residents in the vicinity of the Colonist hotel petitioned for the installation of a hydrant and fire alarm box. Referred to the fire wardens for report.

REPORTS.

The Finance committee reported having examined the machine of the Imperial Automatic Voting Machine company. They suggested that a trial be made of the apparatus before recommending its favorable consideration by the incoming council.

The Mayor suggested that the referendum vote might be taken on the machine. The report was adopted.

The Finance committee recommended the payment of accounts for the month amounting to $1,557.58. Adopted.

The Streets, Sewers and Bridges' committee reported as follows:

Gentlemen,—Your streets, bridges and sewers committee having investigated the matter of the communication of the sanitary inspector of the 20th ult., in regard to the flushing of sewers, referred to this committee by the Council, beg leave to report as follows:

During the months of July, August and September the old system of flushing, namely that by tanks, constructed to work automatically, was discontinued and the tanks were readjusted so that all flushing was done under the personal supervision of an employee of the corporation.

The reason for the change was the waste of water that was going on owing to the leaking in the tanks and imperfect working of the syphons. The magnitude of the waste was clearly indicated by the night pressure at the pumping station, but its nature and extent was only definitely ascertained when the tanks themselves were overhauled.

The result is set out in the schedule prepared by the water commissioner hereto appended.

Neither the sanitary inspector nor any other witness at the inquiry brought any evidence to show that the sewers were in any worse condition, from a sanitary point of view, than they have ever been. No case of sickness in the city could be attributed to the sewers; on the contrary, where sewers did not exist, there were cases which could be attributed to their absence.

The sanitary inspector clearly stated that the reason for his writing the letter was that he feared that the sewers might get into a condition that would cause sickness. This apprehension was based on certain conditions at the man-holes at one or two points. He had no intention of ignoring the City Engineer or the medical health officer in writing the letter, nor of causing any alarm.

It is evident, however, that the present system of flushing might be improved upon, particularly in regard to what is known as the "dead ends."

From the inquiry it has been shown that generally speaking, flushing sewers twice a day would be ample to keep the sewers in a healthy condition. In some places, where the grade is steep, once would be enough; in others, where the grade more nearly approaches the horizontal, and where the services are not numerous, it might be necessary to flush three times a day.

It is estimated that the expenditure of about 13,500 gallons of water per day, would be adequate to flush the sewers and keep them in a sanitary condition.

In view of the fact that sewers require flushing according to their position, number of services, and grade, it would appear that a return to the automatic system of flushing would be beneficial, providing that automatic flush tanks of the right kind of construction be installed. Your committee are advised that such tanks can be constructed that are not liable to get out of order, and that give perfect satisfaction wherever they are used.

Your committee therefore recommend that the City Engineer be requested to report as to the best system of automatic flush tanks, and cost of same, and that as soon as funds are available these tanks be put in.

With regard to the sanitary inspector's action in addressing to the Council the letter he did, your committee find, on the evidence given by the sanitary inspector himself before the committee, that the statements contained in said letter are not justified by the facts of the case, and your committee think that it is the duty of the sanitary inspector, whenever he finds circumstances in his opinion which warrant any special action on the part of the Council, to report the matter, either in writing or verbally, to the City Engineer, medical health officer or the Mayor, before indicting letters to the Council containing statements which are calculated to alarm the public needlessly.

RE SUNDRIES.

Your committee recommend the following resolutions for the adoption by the Council:

1. Resolved, that the changes in and repairs to Point Ellice bridge, as recommended in the last paragraph of the City Engineer's report of the 27th inst., be carried out.

2. Resolved, that all official heads of departments be notified that the hydrants are by law placed under the charge of the water commissioner, and that no employee of the corporation be allowed to use them except in case of fire, without his permission.

3. Resolved, that the petition of J. Meston et al., re Broad street extension, be referred to the city solicitor for his opinion thereon, and that the time of payment be extended until the 25th instant.

On motion of Ald. Kinsman, it was received and adopted.

The Streets By-law Amendment By-law, as introduced by Ald. Vincent, was reconsidered and finally passed through committee stages.

The Referendum By-law, which was to have been again considered, stood over.

The council will meet as a Streets, Sewers and Bridges' committee tomorrow evening.

CARNEGIE LIBRARY.

Ald. Vincent, seconded by Ald. Barnard, moved in effect that competitive plans be asked for the erection of the Carnegie library building on block 1, lot 7, Victoria city.

Ald. Yates thought that the passing of this motion would be equivalent to killing a previous motion asking for the old post-office site.

Ald. McCandless said a motion had already been passed to the effect that the people should select the site, therefore Ald. Vincent's motion was not in order.

Ald. Grahame thought it would be well to proceed slowly with this matter, as, from what he could learn, it was not improbable that the site which had been mentioned as available on Yates street could be obtained at a very low figure.

Nothing was done with Ald. Vincent's motion, a motion to adjourn being put and carried.

As a Streets, Sewers and Bridges' committee the council will this evening take up the matter of finally awarding the bridge contract. The Sidney railway proposition will be further discussed as soon as the Victoria Terminal promoters get their affairs in shape for another discussion.

"Prizes" with common soaps are dearly paid for at the expense of clothes and hands.

SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE

Ask for the Octagon Bar. 247

Hood's Pills

Do not gripe nor irritate the alimentary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectually and

Give Comfort

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

MONUMENTS
BE SURE TO
Get Stewart's Prices
on Monuments, Cemetery Coping, Imported Scotch Granite Monuments, etc., before purchasing elsewhere. Nothing but first-class stock and workmanship.
Corner Yates and Blanchard Streets

THE VICTORIA NO. 2 BUILDING SOCIETY,

Incorporated 30th. Oct., 1902.
Board of Directors:
Percival R. Brown. Jas. Forman.
J. H. McLaughlin. Charles F. Gardiner.
P. J. Riddell.
Secretary-Treasurer, A. St. G. Flint.
Auditors:
F. Elworthy. J. E. Church.

NOTE.—Subscriptions are due and payable from Wednesday, 5th November, 1902, and every Wednesday following at the Society's office, 15 Trounce Ave.

A. ST. G. FLINT,
Secretary.

"Land Registry Act,"

In the Matter of an Application for a Duplicate of the Certificate of Title to Section Twenty-seven (27), Renfrew District.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above lands, issued to John Colville Talt on the 17th day of March, 1891, and numbered 11516a.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 30th day of October, 1902.

How many Cigars do you smoke in a year?
At least 1,000.
One thousand
GRANDAS
Cigars, costing you $100, would give you much more pleasure and satisfaction than 1,000 of any other cigars costing you $150.
Save the $50.00 and have the added enjoyment.
All brands registered in Canada L5

Ladies give your orders for handmade lace, cream and black silk and all shades, braids, rings and nets, latest patterns, at Mrs. W. H. Adams, 78 Douglas street.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at their next sitting as a Licensing Court for a transfer of my license for the sale of wines and liquors by retail, upon the premises situate on the north side of Johnson street, in the City of Victoria, and known as the International Hotel, to Cosimo Doelle.

S. G. CUNNINGHAM.
Dated this 5th day of November, 1902.

All mineral rights are reserved by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company within the tract of land bounded on the south by the southern boundary of Comox District, on the east by the Straits of Georgia, on the north by the 50th parallel, and on the west by the boundary of the E. & N. Railway land grant.

LEONARD H. SOLLY,
Land Commissioner.

THE WESTSIDE

VICTORIA'S BEST DRY GOODS STORE.....NOVEMBER 11, 1902.

"Price Is King"!

The Westside prices will always be found from 10 to 15 per cent. lower than ordinary stores, quality considered, of course.

Special Sale of

Ladies' Flannelette Wear

Every garment in this immense lot has been specially manufactured for The Westside in one of the largest factories in Eastern Canada, and is guaranteed to be Perfect in Quality, Fit and Finish. Read the price story:—

NIGHT GOWNS

320 LADIES' ENGLISH FLANNELETTE NIGHT-GOWNS, striped pink and blue, frilled neck and Yoke back and front. Worth 75c. SALE PRICE 50c

270 LADIES' FINE ENGLISH FLANNELETTE NIGHT GOWNS, in two styles; one has large sailor collar, frilled, also frilled collar and cuffs; other style has yoke back and front, frilled front collar and cuffs. Regular 90c. and $1.00. SALE PRICE.... 75c
Other prices $1.00, $1.25, $1.40, $2.00 each.

UNDER-SKIRTS

LADIES ENGLISH FLANNELETTE UNDER-SKIRTS, with deep flounce, band and draw strings. Regular 70c. SALE PRICE 45c

LADIES' FINE ENGLISH FLANNELETTE UNDER-SKIRTS, with deep flounce and 4 rows hemstitched tucking. Regular 90c. each. SALE PRICE 55c
Other prices 75c., 85c., 95c. each.

Bloomers

LADIES' WHITE, PINK OR BLUE ENGLISH FLANNELETTE BLOOMERS, full sizes; deep gathering and trimmed, neat lace edge. Regular 60c. SALE PRICE 45c
Other prices, 35c., 50c., 75c.

NOTICE—Every garment is cut full no skimping on size, or long-legged stitches in finish—but thoroughly reliable.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Blanket Sale Prices Still Good.

The Hutcheson Company, Ltd., Victoria, B. C.

AUCTION SALE
—OF—
Farming Lands

In the Delta Municipality, and Lots in the Village of Ladner.

Mr. H. N. RICH WILL SELL BY AUCTION AT THE TOWN HALL, LADNER,

—ON—

Saturday, Nov. 29

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

850 Acres Delta Lands

now known as the "Imperial Farm," situate in Township 5, New Westminster District, six lots with residence in the

TOWN OF LADNER

and an island in the Fraser River, close to Ladner, known as Lot 452.

The above farm lands will be offered in lots to suit those desiring large or small holdings and will be sold on the following terms if desired: Twenty per cent cash and balance on mortgage at 5 per cent per annum, with 5 per cent of principal payable annually.

These lands are drained and fenced, in a good state of cultivation and have abundant supply of good water, and to parties requiring

GRAIN, DAIRY OR STOCK FARMS

presents an opportunity rarely to be met with to acquire first-class properties on such favorable terms, and are offered for sale to close up the estate of the late Mr. Thos. McNeeley.

Full particulars and plans may be obtained from the auctioneer, Ladner, B. C.

Take notice that at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, I intend to apply for a transfer of the retail liquor license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at the corner of Yates and Langley streets, known as the Bank Exchange Saloon, now held by me, to Albert Burke, of the City of Victoria.

J. G. RICHARDS.
Dated this 15th day of October, A. D. 1902.

Notice is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, I intend to apply for a transfer of the retail liquor license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at No. 4 Bastion Square, known as Steel's Saloon to John Ellery Jenkins.

JAMES McARTHUR,
ISIDOR BRAVERMAN,
Executors for the Estate of the late Peter Steele (deceased.)
October 17, 1902.

Take notice at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, I intend to apply for a transfer of the retail liquor license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at the corner of Fort and Broad streets, known as the Bee Hive Saloon, now held by me, to L. G. Burns, of the City of Victoria.

DENNIS GRAY.
Dated this 5th day of November, A. D. 1902.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands on the east side of Loughborough Inlet and described as follows: Commencing at the southeast corner of J. A. Sayward's claim No. 2, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to point of commencement.

W. S. CHAMBERS.
Victoria, B. C., Oct. 8, 1902.

Notice is hereby given, that 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands on the east side of Loughborough Inlet, and described as follows: Claim No. 1 commencing 10 chains north from the southeast corner of Duncan McDonald's claim, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

J. A. SAYWARD.
Victoria, B. C., Oct. 8, 1902.

Notice is hereby given, that 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands on the east side of Loughborough inlet, and described as follows: Claim No. 2, commencing at the southeast corner of claim No. 1, thence chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, point of commencement.

J. A. SAYWARD.
Victoria, B. C., Oct. 8, 1902.

Nest Egg and Firefly Gold Mining Company Ld., L'ty.

Notice is hereby given that an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the above Company will be held at the offices of the B. C. Land & Investment Agency, in this city, on the 20th November, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Business—To consider notice of foreclosure from the Trustee for the debenture holders.

By order.

A. K. MUNRO,
Secy.-Treas.
Victoria, B. C., 4th Nov., 1902.

LAND FOR SALE.

Tenders are invited for the purchase of Section 3, Range 1, East, South Saanich, comprising 100 acres, more or less, suitable for agriculture, about 1 mile from Saanichton.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned by the 3rd November, 1902.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

POOLEY, LUXTON & POOLEY,
21 Bastion St., Victoria, B. C., Vendors'

MISS S. SHORT
Teacher of
GUITAR, THEORY and SINGING,
For terms apply at 24 Ontario Street, James Bay.

King Edward Building Society.

This Society is now incorporated, and in active operation. Shares being taken up rapidly. Objectionable features of other societies eliminated.

The usury of fines on loans abrogated.

Applications for shares received by

C. S. BAXTER,
Secretary-Treasurer
53 Wharf St.

VICTORIA THEATRE
Wednesday, Nov. 12

America's Greatest Home Play, James A. Herne's Famous Comedy-Drama,

Shore Acres

Sir Henry Irving says: "Shore Acres is the best American play I have yet seen." Hall Caine says: "I predict "Shore Acres" will run a year in London. It is the work of a genius."

GUARANTEED A SUPERB PRESENTATION.

Prices, entire lower floor, Sec. B and front rows of A and C, $1.00. Back rows A and C, 75c. Gallery 50c. Box seats, $1.50.

Sale opens at the Victoria Book & Stationery Store, Monday morning.

NOTICE
TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Old Jinks, of the Old Flag Inn, Nanaimo, having purchased the business known as Steele's Saloon and Merchant Lunch Parlors, from the estate of the late Peter Steele, deceased, do cater to the public for a share of their patronage for the best wines and liquors. Private lunch rooms, also a free hot lunch at all hours. Come and have a smile or a meal with Old Jinks either at No 4 Bastion Square, Victoria, or at the Old Flag Inn, Nanaimo, and you will never forget it.

JINKS, THE PIONEER.

BULBS!
VICTORIA FLORAL CO.
29 Government Street

Floral Designs, Wreaths, Bouquets and all kinds of decorations artistically made up. Greenhouses, Ross bay.

A. J. WOODWARD,
Tel. 918.

The Tourist Association
OF VICTORIA, B. C.

The First Annual Meeting

Of this Association will be held in the City Hall at 8 p. m. on Wednesday, Nov. 12th. All subscribers or intending subscribers are particularly requested to be present. Business—Presentation of Reports and Election of Officers.

FRANK I. CLARKE, Hon. Secretary.
CHAS. HAYWARD, President.

FOR SALE
CHARCOAL AND POTATOES

L. S. HONG LEE CO., 150 Government Street.

To Explore Rookeries

Armed Guards Will Be Placed on Bouldyr Island Next Season.

Derelict in South Pacific—Empress of China and Victoria Due.

Tug Mamie, which has returned from Quatsino, reports sighting a small sealing schooner, which is believed to have been the South Bend, off Quatsino Sound. The South Bend, which left here in April with 14 skins, taken on the Coast, for Copper Islands and Behring sea, was last spoken in September with 497 skins. She was given provisions from the Enterprise, now at Ucluelet, the beginning of September. She is the last of the fleet to return, the others having reached the Coast. There are still six schooners on the Island coast.

The United States government has arranged a plan of procedure with regard to the recent discovery of the seal rookery on Bouldyr Island. The Secretary of the Treasury intends to make a thorough investigation to ascertain if there are fur seals on any of the other islands of the Aleutian archipelago, and to provide means of protecting them against raiders, if any shall be found.

Some time ago the United States officials practically abandoned the idea of further investigation of this problem through fear that if seals should be discovered no way would be found of protecting them, and the announcement of such a discovery would simply be an invitation to poachers to kill the seals at the beginning of the next breeding season. The Secretary has now drafted a recommendation to Congress asking an appropriaion of $5,000, which will be used to establish an armed camp on Bouldyr Island and on such other islands as fur seals may be found upon, for the protection of the rookeries. If the money is appropriated by Congress, an armed force will be landed at Bouldyr Island prior to the beginning of the breeding season next spring, and in advance of the arrival of the seals, and a camp will be set up and maintained until the seals have again left for Southern waters.

If the appropriation is granted, a plan has been devised by Capt. Shoemaker, chief of the United States revenue cutter service, for investigating the other islands of the Aleutian chain during the season. As large a number of revenue cutters as possible will be assigned to patrolling duty next summer, and one or more of these vessels will be alternately detailed to coast along the Aleutian chain and in and out of the passes between the islands, making occasional landings, and observing as closely as possible all portions of the shore line upon which fur seals would be apt to haul out.

MANAUENSE DISABLED.

Puts Into Japanese Port With Machinery Crippled.

Steamer Manauense, under charter to the Northeastern Siberian Company, which holds a grant for mining and development of a vast section of the Czar's Far Northern domain, has reached Morroran, Japan, slightly disabled, according to a cable received by John Rosene, president of the Northwestern Commercial Company and managing director of the concession corporation, from Morroran.

The meaning of the cablegram, which was sent in cipher, is not clear, altogether. Two words are not to be found in the code, and an order has been sent for a repetition of the message. However, the concluding words are to the effect that the Manauense reached Morroran on her return voyage from Seattle to Northern Siberia and Vladivostock, with her machinery disabled; that the vessel had put in for repairs and would sail on completion of the work within a few days.

The Manauense sailed September 17 from Seattle for Siberia by way of Nome. She took a cargo of supplies for the company's several trading posts established during the past summer. From St. Nicholas, one of the posts, she took about 100 Russian miners employed by the company to Vladivostock, where they are wintering.

The vessel is returning without passengers or freight.

FOUND A BOAT.

Drifted From the Fraser River With Fisherman on Board.

When bound here from Vancouver yesterday, the steamer Princess Louise picked up a Fraser river fishing boat, in which Petro Gutieres had drifted to sea. The boat was about three miles north of Plumpers Pass, and when sighted from the steamer, the vessel was steering towards the little craft, and the fisherman taken from the boat, none the worse for his adventure. The boat, which is marked T. C. 375, belongs to the British America cannery, on the Fraser. It was allowed to drift away.

ON THE WAYS.

Venture Hauled Out on Turpel's Slip for Repairs.

Steamer Venture, which arrived a few days ago from the North, in tow of the tug Czar, was hauled out on Turpel's ways yesterday to be repaired, her hull having been considerably injured as a result of her stranding on Tugwell's Island, on October 11. The steamer is considerably damaged, and her repairs will be costly. Her whole keel will have to be replaced, and much of her planking will have to be renewed in the lower part of her hull, where the woodwork is chewed up by the rocks on which she pounded for some time, before Capt. Buckholtz and her crew managed to release her, and after such trying experiences as were narrated, beached her in Duncan Bay. There are two very large holes to be repaired, one under the port boiler and the other further forward.

SIGHTED A DERELICT.

Ship Lotus Seen Dismasted, Her Crew Missing.

The French bark Jeanne Cordonnier, which has arrived at San Francisco from Swansea, reported having sighted the ship Lotus, abandoned by all her crew, whose fate is a mystery, on August 9, in latitude 53, 24 south. The look-out reported the derelict, which was seen like the Phantom ship, through a mist, and Capt. Porcher, examined this mysterious craft that had loomed out of the storm, and he read her name on her stern—the Lotus. He also read the signs of that tragedy of the sea—a mainmast gone, a mizzen cut away close to the deck, a stump of the foremast standing, and a foresail set by the last vain effort of a despairing crew to hold steerage way on a vessel doomed to the scant mercy of the relentless elements. It was a plain tale for the sailor, and one that he could read without a dictionary. But the most eloquent of all the evidence was the ladder that hung swinging and crashing against the side. Down that ladder the crew had climbed when they abandoned the ship. Beyond that point in the story of the wreck, the perspicacity of the captain of the Jeanne Cordonnier could not penetrate. What fate befel the crew after they left the ship he could not guess—he may never know.

The sea was rough, and a boat could not be lowered from the Jeanne to investigate further. It was apparent, however, that the Lotus was loaded light and that she had been abandoned because it was no longer possible to handle her.

When Captain Porcher reached this port yesterday morning he made inquiries concerning the derelict and learned that the Lotus was an iron ship of 1,213 tons net, 206 feet in length, 35 feet beam and 20 feet depth. She was built in 1883 at Slikkerdeer, Russia, and was commanded by Captain E. A. Linstrom. She was bound from Australia to Spain with wool.

STRANGE EXPERIENCES.

Showers of Volcanic Ashes Fall on Kosmos Liner.

Steamer Luxor, of the Kosmos line, at San Francisco, from Hamburg en route to the British Columbia Sugar Refinery at Vancouver, reports an unusual experience at San Benito, the lowermost port of Mexico, October 25. Thirty tons of volcanic ashes from the volcano of Mount Quemado fell on her deck. She was anchored off shore awaiting lighters that were to be used in transferring cargo.

Without warning the sky darkened until it acquired the pitchy black of a starless night. Then began a gentle rain of soft pumice-like ashes, which soon covered the liner's decks to a depth of several inches. Ashore, Capt. Timmerman learned later, the inhabitants were figuring on seeking a refuge aboard the Luxor, but no navigator could be found with nerve enough to venture forth in the unnatural darkness. On board the Luxor panic-stricken passengers beseeched the skipper to up anchor and away to sea. He at length granted their prayers and the Luxor came from San Benito without going through the formalities with the customs house.

The fall of ashes continued until early on the morning of October 26, when the decks of the Luxor were a foot deep in powdered pumice stone. Mount Quemado, from which the ashes came, is about 70 miles from San Benito. When 30 miles at sea, after leaving San Benito, all on board the Luxor heard deep detonations and felt repeated earthquake shocks. There was also a visitation of myriads of birds and butterflies. At Salina Cruz, the following morning, there had been a fall of about three inches of ashes, presumably from Mount Quemado.

Capt. Timmerman, of the Luxor, reports that the harbor of Ocos, Guatemala, has been considerably changed by the great earthquakes along that part of the Coast. Where a depth of five fathoms formerly existed in the harbor there is now a depth of seven fathoms, and the beach has been shortened by the seismic disturbances. The river or creek that formerly ran into the sea near the wrecked pier has had its course changed and there are other evidences of the violence of the subterranean quake.

TWO LINERS DUE.

Empress of China and Victoria Expected Today.

Steamer Empress of China, of the C. P. R. fleet, and the steamer Victoria, of the Northern Pacific line, are both due at the outer docks today from the Orient, both bringing good sized cargoes and heavy consignments of silk for New York, the former having silk to the value of over one million dollars on board. She has 50 Chinese for Victoria and 100 tons of freight for this port. The steamer Tosa Maru, of the N. Y. K. line, is due on Tuesday next, having sailed from Yokohama on the 4th. The China Mutual steamer Yangtsze is also en route from Yokohama, being due on the 27th. The steamer Athenian will sail outbound for Yokohama on Monday next, and Mr. O'Meara, who has been acting as purser of the steamer Danube, is to go out on her as assistant purser. Steamer Olympia, of the Northern Pacific line, sailed from Yokohama yesterday for this port, and is due here on the 25th. The Shawmut sailed from Hongkong on Saturday, and is due here on December 1.

THE SAILERS.

Antiope Gets Away After Delay—Balboa Starts on Her Voyage.

Bark Antiope, which has been detained at Ladysmith as a result of being overloaded, sailed yesterday, Capt. Murray having discharged part of his cargo. The Kinross was delayed for similar reasons recently. The schooner Balboa, loaded with lumber from Chemainus, sailed for Sydney last night, after shipping a crew here. The bark Jabez Howes was towed from Port Angeles to Vancouver on Sunday by the tug Lorne, which will proceed to Ladysmith today to tow the hulk John C. Potter, North.

FOR WEST COAST.

Steamer Queen City Leaves for Cape Scott and Ports.

Steamer Queen City, which returned on Sunday from Vancouver, after being caulked and repaired, sailed for Cape Scott and way ports on the West Coast last night. She had a large number of passengers from this port, including H. E. Newton and Party, bound to San Juan; Amos Ellis, store-keeper of Kyuquot; N. S. Clarke, of the Yreka Mining Company, and party; Wm. Clark, for Clayoquot; A. McQueen, of the Nahmint Mining Company; H. H. Padgett, who is working a property on Cox Island, and many other Coast residents and mining men. The steamer had also a good cargo, including lumber and general supplies for Quatsino and various ports en route.

AMUR BOUND SOUTH.

Navigation Closed on the Yukon on November 3.

Steamer Amur left Skagway last night en route to Victoria, with a large number of passengers, she and the Humboldt dividing the last crowd of the season. Navigation of the Upper Yukon closed November 3. On that date the last vessel running on the river arrived at White Horse from Dawson and went into winter quarters. They were the Crimmons and the Thistle, both of the British Yukon Navigation Company's fleet. On November 4 the Atlin steamer arrived at White Horse, closing the season also for that district. So there is not now a vessel of any character plying the mighty river from headwaters to mouth.

All of the Yower Yukon boats, about three times the number running on the upper river, tied up more than a fortnight ago. Just when the river will freeze from bank to bank is problematical, though such an occurrence may be expected any day.

Following the close of navigation on the Yukon the first regular stage of the season left White Horse for Dawson last Tuesday. The line will be kept constantly in operation regardless of the weather from now until the opening of navigation in 1903, towards the close of May, probably.

MARINER DEAD.

Master of Bark Kaiulani Dies at Sea.

Capt. T. H. Griffiths, master of the steel bark Kaiulani, died on board the vessel last Saturday when she was at a point 400 miles off Cape Blanco, on the way from Seattle to Honolulu. Stomach trouble was the cause of death. Chief Officer Wallace took charge of the ship and steered a course for San Francisco, to land the captain's body, arrived on Saturday. Capt. Griffiths had been sailing on the Coast for more than 40 years. For years he commanded the barkintine S. G. Wilder and the bark Albert, in the sugar trade, and went to the Kaiulani two years ago, when that vessel was launched and went into the island trade. He was 70 years old and a native of Wales. A few years ago Capt. Griffiths' son died while on a voyage to Hawaii. The captain was a Knight Templar.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer City of Puebla, of the Pacific Coast Steamship company arrived on Sunday night from San Francisco after an uneventful passage with a smaller contingent of passengers than usual, and 90 tons of general freight, consigned per the list given in another column, to local merchants. The steamer Umatilla will not sail South until 8 o'clock this morning—12 hours late—she having been detained at Seattle. The passengers who will embark here include: H. J. Handley, E. Carroll, C. Carroll, Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Schoen.

Steamers Wyefield and Titania, colliers passed up to Nanaimo on Sunday night.

Steamer Danube has been tied up.

Steamer Otter arrived on Sunday from Comox with coal.

Steamer Miowera will sail on Friday for Honolulu, Suva, Brisbane and Sydney.

How to be Healthy and Beautiful

How the Graceful Carriage is Easy to Acquire

Mrs. Annie Vaile Switzer

of CHICAGO, will give a Talk to Women on

Mental and Physical Training

Wednesday, November 12, in A. O. U. W. Hall

AT 8 P. M.

MRS. SWITZER, who has had years of experience traveling throughout America, comes to the ladies of Victoria to tell them of the power of superb and beautiful womanhood, how to develop it to its highest degree, how to be young at forty, the necessity of exercise, proper diet and the value of pure water. Through the science of Physical Culture she offers life---healthy, happy life---and by ten minutes' daily exercise you may add ten years to your life. In four lessons Mrs. Switzer will teach Correct Poise, Proper Breathing, how to overcome Insomnia and Constipation.

You are not only taught how to gain health but that distinguished carriage and bearing which at once bespeaks culture and refinement. Not 5 per cent of the women breathe properly and not one in a hundred walk with grace or freedom of movement.

All women who are interested in the mental and physical betterment of the human race are invited to be present Wednesday evening. No admission charged.

Mrs. Switzer will receive callers at the Balmoral.

I Will Cure You of Rheumatism

Else No Money Is Wanted.

After 2,000 experiments, I have learned how to cure Rheumatism. Not to turn bony joints into flesh again; that is impossible. But I can cure the disease always, at any stage, and forever.

I ask for no money. Simply write me a postal and I will send you an order on your nearest druggist for six bottles Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure, for every druggist keeps it. Use it for a month and, if it succeeds the cost is only $5.50. If it fails, I will pay your druggist myself.

I have no samples, because any medicine that can affect Rheumatism quickly must be drugged to the verge of danger. I use no such drugs, and it is folly to take them. You must get the disease out of the blood.

My remedy does that, even in the most difficult, obstinate cases. No matter how impossible this seems to you, I know it and I take the risk.

I have cured tens of thousands of cases in this way, and my records show that 89 out of 40 who get those six bottles pay gladly.

I have learned that people in general are honest with a physician who cures them. That is all I ask. If I fail I don't expect a penny from you.

Simply write me a postal card or letter. I will send you my book about Rheumatism and an order for the medicine. Take it for a month, as it won't harm you anyway.

If it fails, it is free, and I leave the decision with you. Address Dr. Shoop, Box 17, Racine, Wis.

Mild cases, not chronic, are often cured by one or two bottles. At all druggists.

THE

Canadian Bank of Commerce

WITH WHICH IS AMALGAMATED

THE BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

HEAD OFFICE--TORONTO

PAID-UP CAPITAL ..... $ 8,000,000
REST AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS 2,251,000
AGGREGATE RESOURCES, over 70,000,000

HON. GEO. A. COX, President. B. E. WALKER, General Manager.

LONDON OFFICE--60 LOMBARD STREET, E. C.

The bank has 68 branches extending throughout Canada and elsewhere, including the following in British Columbia and the Yukon District:

ATLIN, CRANBROOK, DAWSON, ROSSLAND, GREENWOOD, KAMLOOPS, NANAIMO, LADYSMITH, NELSON, N. WESTMINSTER, SANDON, VANCOUVER, VICTORIA, WHITE HORSE.

BRANCHES IN THE UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, SEATTLE, PORTLAND, SKAGWAY

Savings Bank Department—Gold dust purchased and every description of banking business transacted.

GEO. GILLESPIE, Manager.

THE KING'S BIRTHDAY

Naval Celebration at Esquimalt—Londoners' Dinner—Sons of St. George.

Yesterday the warships at Esquimalt were dressed in honor of King Edward's birthday, and a royal salute was fired at noon. The men of the fleet were granted a half-holiday, and enjoyed it only as sailors can, with all the abandon of children released from their tasks.

Yesterday being "Lord Mayor's Day," the members of Ye Olde London Wanderers' Club sat down to a representative civic banquet at the Boomerang. Everything was arranged to remind the Wanderers of the world's great metropolis. Genuine turtle soup—such as is said to delight the hearts of London's aldermen—was a prominent feature, as well as good, succulent sirloin. After the good things had been disposed of, an overture was played, Mr. R. Berks being at the piano. Then followed the toast of "The King," proposed by Mr. H. L. Salmon, the chairman, who referred to the many qualities which endeared His Majesty to everyone with whom he came in contact. This having been drunk with enthusiasm, the toast of "The Royal Family," by the chairman followed. Mr. E. Codling sang "The Divers"; encore, "Holy City." The following toasts and songs were then given: "The Lord Mayor," by Rev. M. N. A. Cohen; song, "Serving 'Em All Alike," and encore, "Postponed," by Mr. J. Parkes; toast, "Our Native City," by the vice-chairman, Mr. H. Langton; song, "The Stowaway," by Mr. E. A. Tuson; toast, "The Club," by the secretary; recitation, "Brutus to the Mob," with an encore, impersonation of H. Beerbohm Tree, Rev. M. N. A. Cohen; toast, "Our Adopted City," Mr. E. Codling; song, "Slave Ship," E. A. Tuson; toast, "The Press," Mr. T. J. Dearberg; speech, J. A. Williams; toast, "The United Service," Mr. C. Holmes; song, H. L. Salmon; song, J. Parkes; toast, "Our Visitors," J. Parkes, responded to by C. Dubois Mason; toast, "Our Hostess."

The company having sung "Auld Lang Syne" and the National Anthem, dispersed, each well satisfied with the good things provided by Mrs. Marr.

The Sons of St. George celebrated the birthday of the King in royal style yesterday evening. Their hall was crowded, and after supper a splendid patriotic concert was given. Professor Sherman presided at the piano, and Bro. Boorman, as chairman of the evening, gave a spirited address, paying tribute to the King's excellent qualities and pointing out the great interest he had always shown in the welfare of his subjects.

The concert was opened by a selection of patriotic airs on the piano, and the following songs were sung by the members of the order: "Rule Britannia," Bro. G. Penketh; "Death of Nelson," Bro. Levy; "The Maple Leaf," Bro. E. Siddall; "The Red Cross," Bro. T. Gough; "Beautiful Isle of the Sea," Bro. W. Greasley; "The Little Patch of Red," Bro. F. Jeeves; address by Bro. Ruxton; "Sons of the Sea," Bro. J. Webb; "Soldiers of the King," Bro. Sherman; "Anchors Weighed," W. H. Charlesworth; "Red, White and Blue," A. Ward; "God Save the King."

Infants' Delight Soap

Superior to all other for the Toilet and Nursery.

MADE BY

John Taylor & Co, Toronto.

The Children are Delighted With It.

Malt Breakfast Food

Builds Them Up in Flesh, Bone and Muscle.

Malt Breakfast Food is the only cereal food that children will keep to and relish from day to day. It has a delicious flavor that captivates the taste and makes it a favorite. Oatmeal and other forms of grain foods are injurious to the stomach and digestive organs of the little ones because of the presence of insoluble starch. Malt Breakfast Food is free from starch, therefore easily and quickly digested by the youngest children. Malt Breakfast Food is specially recommended for the use of babies after weaning. It affords all the elements for solid flesh forming and bone and muscle building. Try Malt Breakfast Food, dear mothers, it will give you wonderful results. Grocers everywhere.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

School, Beaver Creek, Alberni.

Sealed tenders, indorsed "Tender for School, Beaver Creek," will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Wednesday, the 10th September, 1902, for the erection and completion of a one-room frame school house at Beaver Creek, Alberni.

Plans, specifications, forms of tender and contract may be seen on and after the 28th August, 1902, at the office of the Government Agent, Alberni, and at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria.

Tenders will not be considered unless made upon the printed forms supplied for the purpose, and the agreement to execute a bond appended to the form of tender is duly signed by the contractor himself and two other responsible residents of the province in the penal sum of $250, for the faithful performance of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE.
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 25th August, 1902.

RESERVE.

Notice is hereby given that all the unappropriated Crown lands situated within the boundaries of the following area is hereby reserved from pre-emption, sale or other disposition, excepting under the provisions of the mining laws of the Province, for two years from the date hereof, pursuant to the provisions of sub-section (5) of section 41 of the "Land Act," as amended by section 6 of the "Land Act Amendment Act, 1901," to enable The Quatsino Power and Pulp Company, Limited, to select therefrom timber limits for wood pulp and paper manufacturing purposes, as provided by an agreement bearing date the 20th day of October, 1902, viz:

Sections 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, in Township 38; Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17 and 18, in Township 31; Sections 1, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 34, 35 and 36, in Township 39; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35 and 36, in Township 27; Sections 25, 26, 27, 28, 33, 34, 35 and 36, in Township 28; Sections 25 to 36, inclusive, in Township 17; Sections 1 to 12, inclusive, in Township 18; also Sections 27 to 36, inclusive, in Township 18; Sections 1 to 36, inclusive, in Township 19; Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, and from 22 to 36, inclusive, in Township 26; Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18, 25, 26, 33, 34 and 35, in Township 31; Sections 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, in Township 32; Sections 1 to 36, inclusive, in Township 10; Sections 1 to 12, inclusive, and 13, 14 and 15, and the southern half of Sections 23 and 24, in Township 9; Sections 5 and 6, in Township 6; Sections 10, 31 and 32, 3, 4, 5 and 6, in Township 4; the ungranted land in Township 11; Township 12, except Sections 35 and 36; Sections 1 to 30, inclusive, in Township 13; Township 14; Sections 1 to 3, 10 and 11, in Township 2; Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 14, 15, 23 and 36, in Township 16; also the following described piece or parcel of land, namely: Beginning at a point on the prolongation of the southern boundary of Township 16, one mile east of the south-eastern corner of Section 1, in Township 16; thence in a southerly direction about seven miles, or to a point one mile south and one mile west of the southern end of Victoria Lake; thence east two miles; thence north one mile; thence east one mile; thence north five miles; thence east two miles; thence north one mile; thence east two miles; thence north one mile; thence east two miles, or to the easterly extremity of Kathleen Lake; thence south half a mile; thence east one mile; thence north one mile; thence west one mile; thence north half a mile; thence west one mile; thence north half a mile; thence west one mile; thence north half a mile; thence west half a mile; thence north one mile; thence west one mile; thence north two miles; thence west along the south boundary of Townships 12 and 11 to the South-east Arm; and thence along the shore of the South-east Arm, in a southerly direction, to the southern extremity of the Arm, and thence north to the place of beginning.

All of which said lands are situated in Rupert District, Vancouver Island.

W. S. GORE.
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 30th October, 1902.

Ladies' Hair Dressing Parlors.

Scalp treatment, shampooing, face massage, hair-dressing. A large stock of wigs and switches always on hand. Combings made up into any style. Country orders promptly attended to. Wigs for hire.

Mrs. C. Koeche
55 Douglas Street, (near Fort).

MANG WO LUNG KEE

Importers and Dealers in JAPANESE FANCY GOODS

In Many New Ideas AND CHINA CURIOS..

13 CORMORANT STREET

Smart Weed and Belladonna, combined with the other ingredients used in the best porous plasters, make Carter's S. W. & B Backache Plasters the best in the market. Price 25 cents.

VICTORIA TIDES.

For the Month of November, 1902.
(Issued by the tidal survey branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

The time used is pacific standard for the 120 Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot.

Date.	Day.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.
		h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.
1	Sa	5 29	7.0	8 47	6.4	13 39	8.4	21 40	1.6
2	S.	6 34	7.2	9 30	6.8	14 08	8.3	22 17	1.6
3	M.	7 43	7.3	10 22	7.1	14 29	8.1	22 58	1.7
4	Tu	8 53	7.4	11 22	7.3	14 42	7.8	23 41	2.0
5	W.	9 55	7.6	12 31	7.4	14 50	7.5	.....	
6	Th	0 25	2.3	10 44	7.6				
7	F	1 10	2.7	11 09	7.6				
8	Sa	1 56	3.1	11 04	7.5				
9	S.	2 44	3.6	10 40	7.4				
10	M.	3 35	4.1	10 53	7.5	19 06	5.0	23 33	5.5
11	Tu	4 29	4.5	11 17	7.8			18 44	4.2
12	W.	0 58	5.9	5 25	5.0	11 34	8.1	19 08	3.3
13	Th	2 09	6.4	6 19	5.4	12 01	8.5	19 39	2.4
14	F.	3 08	6.8	7 11	5.8	12 32	8.8	20 15	1.5
15	Sa	4 04	7.2	8 01	6.2	13 06	9.1	20 54	0.8
16	S.	4 59	7.6	8 49	6.6	13 42	9.2	21 36	0.4
17	M.	5 57	7.8	9 40	7.0	14 30	9.1	22 21	0.2
18	Tu	6 57	8.1	10 38	7.2	15 00	8.8	23 09	0.4
19	W.	7 52	8.2	11 42	7.2	15 43	8.3	.....	
20	Th	0 00	0.8	8 41	8.3	12 57	7.1	16 32	7.6
21	F.	0 52	1.5	9 14	8.3	14 28	6.6	17 48	6.8
22	Sa	1 43	2.3	9 39	8.3	16 09	5.9	19 53	6.1
23	S.	2 34	3.2	9 58	8.2	17 13	5.0	22 08	5.7
24	M.	3 25	4.1	10 16	8.2	18 01	4.1	.....	
25	Tu	0 20	5.8	4 16	5.0	10 37	8.3	18 40	3.3
26	W.	2 06	6.3	5 08	5.8	11 01	8.5	19 15	2.6
27	Th	3 24	6.8	6.00	6.4	11 28	8.7	19 47	2.1
28	F.	4 27	7.2	6 48	6.9	11 57	8.8	20 18	1.7
29	Sa	5 21	7.5	7 35	7.2	12 27	8.9	20 48	1.4
30	S.	6 13	7.7	8 20	7.5	12 54	8.9	21 10	1.3

Zero of above heights corresponds to 11 feet in the fairway of Victoria harbor.

Esquimalt (at Dry Dock.)—From observations during six months, May to October, compared with simultaneous observations continued at Victoria by Mr. F. N. Denison.

For time of high water, add 14 minutes to H. W. at Victoria.

For time of low water, add 17 minutes to L. W. at Victoria.

THE INFANT

takes first to human milk; that failing, the mother turns at once to cow's milk as the best substitute. Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk is a cow's milk scientifically adapted to the human infant. Stood first for forty-five years. Price 15c per can.

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

ALASKA ROUTE—FOR SKAGWAY DIRECT.

AMUR, NOVEMBER 15th, 11 p. m.

To Northern B. C. way ports, 1st and 15th each month, 11 p. m.

To Westminster, Tuesday and Friday, 7 a. m.

To Ahouset and way ports, 1st of each month, 11 p. m.

To Cape Scott and way ports, 10th each month, 11 p. m.

To Quatsino and way ports, 20th each month, 11 p. m.

For particulars as to time, rates, etc., apply to nearest agent, or

J. W. TROUP, Manager, Victoria, B. C.
E. J. COYLE, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Vancouver, B. C.
H. H. ABBOTT, General Agent, Victoria.

THE GREAT NORTHERN

75 Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

Passengers can leave and arrive daily by steamers Majestic or Rosalie, connecting at Seattle with Overland Flyer.

JAPAN-AMERICAN LINE.
Fortnightly Sailings.

SHINANO MARU will sail November 18th, 1902, for China, Japan and Asiatic ports.

K. J. BURNS,
General Agent.

Pacific Coast Steamship Co.

For South Eastern Alaska.

LEAVE VICTORIA 5 P.M.

City of Topeka, Nov. 13, 25, Dec. 7.

Leave Seattle, 9 A. M.

City of Seattle or City of Topeka, Nov. 1, 7, 13, 19, 25 Dec. 17, and every sixth day thereafter.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

Leave Victoria, 8 P. M.

Queen, Nov. 5, 20, Dec. 5.
Umatilla, Nov. 10, 25, Dec. 10.
City of Puebla, Nov. 15, 30, Dec. 15.
Steamer leaves every fifth day thereafter.

Steamers connect at San Francisco with company's steamers for ports in California, Mexico and Humboldt Bay.

For further information obtain folder. Right is reserved to change steamers or sailing dates.

R. P. Rithet & Co., Agents, 61 Wharf Street, Victoria, B. C.

TICKET OFFICE—113 James Street, Seattle. GEO. W. ANDREWS, Northwestern Passenger Agent.

C. W. MILLER, General Agent, Ocean Dock, Seattle.

San Francisco Ticket Office, 4 New Montgomery street.

C. D. DUNANN, Gen. Passenger Agent, 10 Market St., San Francisco.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

And Soo Pacific Line

World's Scenic Route

LOWEST RATES. BEST SERVICE.

To all points in Canada and the United States. The fastest and best equipped train crossing the continent.

JAPAN AND CHINA.

ATHENIAN ..... Nov. 17
EMPRESS OF CHINA ..... DEC. 1
EMPRESS OF INDIA ..... Dec. 29th

HONOLULU, FIJI AND AUSTRALIA.

MIOWERA ..... Nov. 14
AORANGI ..... Dec. 12
MOANA ..... JAN. 9

For full particulars as to time, rates, etc. apply to

E. J. COYLE, A. G. P. A., Vancouver, B. C.
H. H. ABBOTT, 86 Government Street, Victoria, B.C.

ATLANTIC S.S. SAILINGS

Montreal.

Lake Ontario—Elder Dempster ..Nov. 20

St. John.

Lake Erie—Elder Dempster .....Dec. 5
Lake Megantic—Elder Dempster . Dec. 11
Lake Champlain—Elder Dempster .. Nov. 19
Parisian—Allan Line ..... Nov. 22
Bavarian—Allan Line ..... Nov. 29
Tunisian—Allan Line ..... Dec. 6
Corinthian—Allan Line ..... Dec. 13

Boston.

Ivernia—Cunard Line ..... Nov. 22
Saxonia—Cunard Line ..... Dec. 6

New York.

Lucania—Cunard Line ..... Nov. 22
Etruria—Cunard Line ..... Dec. 29
Campania—Cunard Line ..... Dec. 6
Majestic—White Star Line .....Dec. 26
Celtic—White Star Line .....Nov. 28
Germanic—White Star Line ..... Dec. 3
Teutonic—White Star Line .....Nov. 10
St. Paul—American Line .....Nov. 26
New York—American Line .....Dec. 3
Philadelphia—American Line .....Dec. 10
Astoria—Anchor Line ..... Nov. 29
Furnessia—Anchor Line ..... Dec. 6
Columbia—Anchor Line .....Dec. 13

For all information apply to H. H. ABBOTT, 86 Government St., Agent for All Lines.

PUGET SOUND NAVIGATION CO.

STEAMERS FOR PUGET SOUND POINTS.

Steamer Majestic sails daily, except Sunday, at 8 p. m., for Seattle and Port Townsend.

Steamer Garland sails at 5:30 p. m., Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays, for Port Angeles and Seattle.

E. E. BLACKWOOD, Agent, 100 Government Street.

Steamship Company

S. S. MARIPOSA, for Tahiti, Dec. 6, 10 a. m.

S. S. SONOMA for Auckland, Sydney, 10 a. m., Thursday, November 6.

S. S. ZEALANDIA sails for Honolulu, Saturday, Nov. 15, 2 p. m.

J. D. SPRECKLES & BROS. CO., Agents, San Francisco.

Or R. P. RITHET & CO., LTD., Victoria.

All ocean steamship lines connect with the daily trains of

THE WHITE PASS & YUKON ROUTE

At Skagway, Alaska, for White Horse and intermediate points.

The new line of stage coaches on the WINTER TRAIL makes possible continuous travel throughout the year to Dawson and other points.

For particulars apply to J. FRANCIS LEE, Traffic Manager, Room 35 Dexter Horton Bld., Seattle, Wash.

Japanese New Goods.

Just Received.
ORIENTAL BAZAAR,
90 Douglas Street.
YOKOHAMA BAZAAR.

The Colonist.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1902

PUBLISHED BY
The Colonist Printing & Publishing Company, Limited Liability.
No. 27 Broad Street - - - Victoria, B. C.
PERCIVAL R. BROWN, Manager.

THE DAILY COLONIST.

Delivered by carrier at 20 cents per week or mailed postpaid to any part of Canada (except the city) and the United States at the following rates:

One year $6 00
Six months .....$ 3 00

THE SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST

One year $1 50
Six months 75
Three months 40

Sent postpaid to any part of Canada or the United States.

Terms strictly in advance.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

ADVERTISING RATES.

Agate measurement: 14 lines to the inch.

READING NOTICES—20c. per line each insertion, or $2 per line per month.

TRANSIENT AND LEGAL ADVERTISING—10c. per line for first insertion, and 5c. per line for each subsequent consecutive insertion; otherwise 10c. per line each insertion. Preferred positions extra, according to page, etc.

LIBERAL DISCOUNT on yearly and half-yearly contracts. For rates, etc., apply at the office.

FINANCIAL, INSURANCE AND COMPANY REPORTS—15c. per line for 100 lines or under; over 100 lines, 10 per cent. discount on each additional 100 up to 500; 500 lines or over, 10c. per line. Reports published in the Daily will be inserted in one of the Semi-Weekly editions for 50 per cent. additional to the Daily rate.

CONDENSED ADVERTISING (classified)—One cent a word each insertion; 10 per cent. discount for six or over consecutive insertions. Cash with order. No advertisement inserted for less than 25c.

BUSINESS or PROFESSIONAL CARDS—Of four lines or under, $2 per month.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS—$1 each, including insertion in the Daily and one of the Semi-Weekly editions.

No advertisement charged to account for less than $1.

$25.00 REWARD

Will be paid for such information as will lead to the conviction of anyone stealing the Colonist newspaper from the door of a subscriber.

UNION LABEL

MINING CONDITIONS.

The Vancouver World objects to our resenting Mr. Blair's taking for granted that mining in British Columbia is in an unsatisfactory condition. One class of mining is in an unsatisfactory condition, namely silver-lead mining. The reasons are two in number. The first is that the prices of lead and silver are exceedingly low. With lead at $2.40, and silver at 50 cents, silver-lead mining is a hard industry to be made pay. The second reason is that through the British Columbia lead miner not having the home market for lead, he only gets $1.40 for his lead instead of $2.40. There is besides no industry in Canada based upon the product of our silver-lead mines. If there were, there would be a largely increased demand for lead, and it would be exported in higher forms of production than that of raw ore, or even lead bullion. The miner would thus receive the full price of his product, and the country the benefit of a large amount of extra labor. Although we are willing to admit that the industry of silver-lead mining is in an unsatisfactory condition, the conditions which occasion this are entirely beyond the control of the province of British Columbia, or any of the people who live in it. In spite of this, however, the reduction in production this year will not be very great compared with last year, if we are to judge by the statistics published by the mining newspapers. These statistics are from the customs declarations, and the railway bills, and are fairly accurate. Silver-lead mining is an important industry in British Columbia. But it only produces one-third of the total value of the output of metalliferous mines in British Columbia, and it certainly does not employ one-sixth of the men employed in mining for the precious metals. Surely to argue from unsatisfactory conditions with regard to one branch of the mining industry to generally unsatisfactory conditions throughout the province, is beside the point, particularly when the price of the products of that branch gives ample reason for the conditions which affect it. How do the other branches stand? Last year placer mining produced $970,000, of which Atlin produced $300,000. This year it is reported that the yield from Atlin is three times as great as that of last year. Conditions must be good in Atlin. Cariboo has to face a decline in the output of one large corporation, contributing a quarter of a million last year; but the output from all sources is highly progressive, which shows that conditions are good in Cariboo. If we next discuss free-milling gold properties, we find that the Ymir and Cariboo are still producing metal from month to month, while further West at Fairview most satisfactory developments are taking place. Further, a new free milling camp has been discovered in British Columbia. Two mills are being installed and all indications of an incipient boom are taking place. We may also mention the steps taken to make the Second Relief at Ymir a heavy producer. It is quite evident that the conditions are good for the development of free-milling quartz mines in British Columbia. If we turn for a moment to the mainstay of metalliferous mining in British Columbia, our gold copper mines, we find that Rossland, which produced 283,360 tons of ore last year, has already exceeded that figure this year, with two months to spare; while Boundary is now over 400,000 tons as compared with 396,000 last year, and optimists are calculating upon a tonnage of 550,000 tons this year, although we must say we think half a million tons will be about the figure. Besides these remarkable achievements a mining camp is growing up far West of the Boundary district, in which is located a mine cautiously and thoroughly developed by the trustees of the late Marcus Daly's estate, which those who are supposed to know, say has the makings of the greatest individual mine in the province. At least it has this in its favor, that it is the only British Columbia property in which that particularly shrewd mining man, the late Marcus Daly, invested any money. On the Island of Vancouver we find two smelters, one in operation, and one nearing completion, erected to handle the overflowing supplies of gold-copper ore which are available. Very obviously the conditions are good for the working and development of gold-copper mines in British Columbia. We did not attack Mr. Blair, whose knowledge of conditions in British Columbia is necessarily slight. We attacked the persons from whom he derived his misinformation, and we say without hesitation that they are as ignorant of the mining situation in British Columbia, as they are venomous and malignant towards the good name of the country which supports them, and in which they live. That a man may oppose the present government or any government from conscientious, and to him personally, creditable motives, we are willing to admit. But that in order to make political capital, men should be found to befoul and bedraggle the economic and industrial conditions of their country, and to do so falsely, is despicable beyond belief. We have detailed the conditions of mining as they exist. We will go further. Perhaps in ignorance, perhaps from a fairly close and intimate knowledge of the comparative history of metalliferous mining, and of the positive results achieved in British Columbia, we will declare that no State in the Union ever showed such advance in metal production during any ten years of its history as the province of British Columbia has shown during the last decade, furthermore, that this exceptional rate of progress has been, and is being, well maintained at the present time, and furthermore, that the science of mining and metallurgy is further advanced in British Columbia today than in any portion of the habitable globe. Where did the owners of the Garretson furnace come to experiment? To British Columbia. Why? Because the highest metallurgical skill, and the materials necessary, were available here, and only here. Where has the electrolytic refining of lead bullion been made a commercial success for the first time? In British Columbia. Where has the smelting of copper ore been reduced to a minimum undreamt of in any other country on any other continent in the world? Here in British Columbia. We have written more than we intended. We have transgressed the limits for a single article in a morning newspaper to be read by busy men. But if ever there was a legitimate excuse for such transgression, it is in the mixture of ignorance and malice which seeks to degrade the name of British Columbia as the foremost field in natural conditions, in industry, in enterprise, and in science for the extraction of the precious metals from the bosom of Mother Earth.

THE NEW MINISTER.

Raymond Prefontaine, ex-Mayor of Montreal, is the new addition to the Dominion cabinet. He takes the portfolio of Marine and Fisheries, and Mr. James Sutherland goes into the Department of Public Works. The province of Quebec is doubtless satisfied and the rest of Canada indifferent. Such a change does not impress the imagination of the West. It may satisfy the rival ambitions of aspirants in the East. Probably our own Senator, the Hon. William Templeman, had nothing to hope for in the present cabinet shuffle. If the statements made in the government committee rooms in Dawson are correct he has little to hope for from the next. It has been freely declared there from supposedly inspired sources that Governor Ross is to be taken into the government as Minister of the Interior, and a new portfolio found for Clifford Sifton. Senator Templeman may take comfort from the fact that this result is contingent upon the election of Governor Ross, an event remote beyond the bounds of probability, unless our advices from Yukon are sadly in error. It is a canard circulated for election purposes, and points to a change in the cabinet impossible of accomplishment. But that such a rumor should even be circulated and should be expected to have a moment's credence, does infinite credit to the virtuous self abnegation of the Hon. William Templeman, and emphasizes the extent to which the present government imagines it can ignore the claims of British Columbia. British Columbia is unhappy in the present Federal government. It is still more unhappy in the members of parliament who represent the province in support of that government. There is not one solitary respect in which they have proved themselves adequate to press the needs and interests of the province upon the attention of a government only too ready and willing to ignore them.

An up country paper publishes the following advertisement:

Have your washing done by Ah Mee, the whitest Chinaman in B. C. Clean and cheap, and a good British subject. Will call. Laundry, Lansdowne street.

Ah Mee!

Pellew-Harvey, Bryant & Gilman
PROVINCIAL ASSAYERS,
Mining Engineers and Metallurgists
Ores analyzed. Control assays. Properties examined and sampled. Trial shipments. Smelter tests. Victoria—Opposite Driard Hotel.

P. O. Box 453. Telephone 856.
A. R. BARROW, A.M.I.C.E.
MINE SURVEYOR.
Mine surveys instituted and plans brought up to date at regular intervals. Steam engines and air compressors indicated and valves set.
Provincial Land Surveyor.
No. 4 View St., Victoria, B. C.

Under Royal Warrant
Apollinaris
"THE QUEEN OF TABLE WATERS."
is supplied to
His Majesty, The King of England
and to
H. R. H. The Prince of Wales,
and served at all the Court Festivities.
SOLE AGENTS: HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY.

Up-to-Date
THE CHINA MUTUAL LINE comes as a boon and a blessing to men. We have just to hand a large invoice of BATTY COMPANY'S SOUPS—Chicken Broth, thick Ox-tail, Mock Turtle, Mulligatawny, Vermicelli and Julienne.
Full line of CHOW CHOW, WALNUTS, GHERKINS, ONIONS AND MIXED PICKLES.
Nothing so good as Batty's. Ask for them at
Erskine, Wall & Co.
TELEPHONE 88. THE LEADING GROCERS.

It's better to be sure than to be sorry. Buy here. We've made sure the
Rubber Shoes and Boots
ARE OF THE BEST.
Men's Hip and Thigh Rubber Boots $4.50
Men's Knee Rubber Boots $3.00
Men's Fine Light-Weight Sporting Boots $4.50
Men's Chrome Calf Watertight .....$3.50 to $5.50
Men's English Kip Watertight .....$3.50 to $4.50
Boys' Grain Watertight, sizes 1 to 5 .....$1.75
Boys' Grain Watertight, sizes 11 to 13 .....$1.40
Ladies' Warm Boots and slippers in great variety.
You want to get after them now (today) not after awhile.
JAS. MAYNARD
85 Douglas Street, Odd Fellows' Block.

Engagement Rings
No. 202—Diamond Solitaire $40.00
No. 188—Three-stone Diamond Hoop $50.00
No. 186—Diamond Solitaire $50.00
No. 182—Threestone Diamond Hoop $75.00
No. 172—Five-stone Diamond Hoop $100.00
You run no risk in ordering the above rings by mail from Henry Birks & Sons. Every stone is guaranteed first-water quality, and every setting eighteenkarat gold. The difference lies only in the size of the stones. If when you receive it, the ring is not to your entire satisfaction, it may be returned and money will be cheerfully refunded. Send for our new catalogue today.
HENRY BIRKS & SONS
Goldsmiths and Silversmiths,
MONTREAL

Corticelli SPOOL SILK

Corticelli
Spool Silk for dressmaking and family sewing, is the best silk made. For hand or machine use it has no equal. Corticelli Silk runs smoothly in the needle; it is always even in size and always full length and full strength. Ask for "Corticelli" Sewing Silk and refuse all substitutes.
Corticelli B-A WASH SILKS are put up in patent holders, which prevents waste by tangles or soiling; keeps each shade separate and automatically measures a correct needleful. It is recommended as the only proper way to put up filo and floss silks, and used by art societies everywhere.
Corticelli
Skirt Protector

is of firm and even texture. When soiled a sponge or brush makes it clean again, and no damage done. It has peculiar wearing qualities and perfectly straight selvage.
For sale everywhere.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

OMISSION RECTIFIED.

Sir,—I regret that the name of Rev. C. Tate was inadvertently omitted from the copy of a resolution I mailed you the other day, and I wish you to take notice of this correction.

GEO. DANIELS.
Acting Secretary H. C. S.
Duncans, B. C., Nov. 7, 1902.

SPECIAL POLICE AT EXHIBITION.

Sir,—In his report for the hall, buildings and grounds committee, the chairman, Mr. Watson Clarke, says that he considers the special police were overdone, both as to number and cost. Now, I am, to a certain extent, answerable for this item, it having been arranged, though not adhered to, that I should engage and look after the "specials." The question is, did I employ too many? And on this point I desire the judgment of unprejudiced people. The stands erected on the two lower floors of the main hall prevent a man from seeing far, especially when a crowd happens to collect at some spot. To look after the exhibits on the three floors, I employed twelve men. In the separate building, appropriated to the fisheries and mineral exhibits, I placed one man. In the long shed, wherein the vegetables, grain, dairy and honey exhibits were placed, I had two men. In addition to their duties as specials, these men had to sweep out, and tidy up their respective locations daily. They were on duty fourteen and a half hours, and were paid $3 per day. Including the race track, which was also in my charge, I had to keep men and boys from climbing over fences, nearly three-quarters of a mile in length, and easily accessible at any point. I need hardly say it requires a good many watchers to keep such a line and be it remembered that many of those who would thus gain free admission to the track and grounds and so to the buildings, are a very undesirable class—likely to steal exhibits and interfere with the comfort of paying visitors. The cost of cleaning out the hall buildings daily, of safe-guarding the property entrusted to the committee, of keeping out undesirable and non-paying trespassers, was $300. One of two things. Either a liberal allowance must be made for looking after the property of exhibitors, or their claims for abstracted articles will have to be met, for though the vast majority of those who visit the exhibition are above temptation, there is yet sure to be a certain admixture of rogues, and these are ever smart in their vocation—stealing.

C. C. REVANS.

A RAILWAY TO THE NORTH.

Sir,—I hope that in the general lull that pervades political circles, pending (as reported) a reconstruction of the provincial cabinet, the prime importance of a railway to the northern end of the island will not be forgotten. Your paper has frequently advanced many forcible arguments to prove that the work is one towards which government aid should be given with no stinted hand, and my object in writing you today is to suggest the reopening of the agitation for the adoption of Robert Dunsmuir's plan for an extension of existing railway facilities with the ultimate object of making some port on the northern end of the island the terminal point for Alaskan commerce. The scheme is of paramount importance to the future of Victoria and Vancouver Island, and should not be suffered to sink into forgetfulness. Active measures should be taken to revive it, so that when the legislature shall again assemble, members may be put in possession of the fullest data and the soldest arguments in its favor.

D. W. H.

Piles To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See testimonials in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if not cured. 60c a box, at all dealers or EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto.
Dr. Chase's Ointment

SPENCER'S
Shoe Department
TUESDAY
Ladies' and Children's Day

Ladies' "Queen Quality" Heavy Welt Enamel Lace Boots; regular price $3.75 TUESDAY $2.90
Ladies' Vici Kid Welt, Pat Tip Lace Boots; regular price $3.00 .... TUESDAY $2.50
Ladies' Box Calf Welt, Narrow Toe, Lace Boots; regular price $3.00..... TUESDAY $2.25
Ladies' Oil Grain, Pat Tip, Heavy Lace Boots; regular price $1.75 .... TUESDAY $1.35
Misses Oil Goat (Toronto made and guaranteed) Heavy Lace Boots; worth $1.75—TUESDAY $1.40
Children's Oil Goat (Toronto made and guaranteed) Heavy Lace or Button Boots; worth $1.50.. ..... TUESDAY.....$1.15
Little Men's Box Calf (Toronto Made) Lace Boots; worth $1.25 ..... TUESDAY $1.00
Fresh arrival of Pure Gum Elastic,
Featherweight Storm Rubbers
Gentlemen's, sizes 6 to 11..... PRICE.....$1.25
Ladies', sizes 2½ to 7..... PRICE .....75c.
Misses', sizes 11 to 2..... PRICE .....55c.
Children's, sizes 8 to 10½..... PRICE.....45c.
No better Rubbers made in America, and will out-wear from two to three pairs of ordinary Rubbers.
Men's Dept.
50 Boxes of Men's Suspenders, Police and other Styles..... TODAY.....35c. pair

OREGON. PORTLAND.
ST. HELEN'S HALL
Normal Kindergarten and Primary Training Classes.
OPEN WEDNESDAY, OCT. 1.
Under the direction of Miss. Elizabeth K. Matthews, Cook County Normal School, Chicago, Ill.
For further information apply to ST. HELEN'S HALL.

FOR SALE
Farm and stock, 8-roomed house, barn, stable and outhouses, 130 acres, about 30 clear, 30 sheep, 14 head of stock, 2 horses, ploughs, mowing machine, horse hay rake and farming implements. Price $3700.
SWINERTON & ODDY,
102 Government St.

JUST OPENED
THE UP-TO-DATE
Fish, Game, Poultry Market
GOWER & WRIGLESWORTH,
119 Douglas St. 'Phone 910

We Know a Young Lady
Who asked five persons of good judgment when she could get her house fitted with shades, poles and trimmings and draperies of the best and at the lowest price, four out of five said
BROCK & ONIONS
TEL. 846. 52 FORT ST.

LADIES!
Call and Inspect Our
NEW CUSHION TOPS,
NEW CORDS,
NEW HANDKERCHIEF CENTRES,
NEW LACES,
SHETLAND FLOSS
All Colors.
Mrs. W. Bickford
61, 63 Fort St.

The most delicious confections are
COWAN'S
Queen's Dessert Chocolate, Swiss Milk Chocolate Chocolate Cream Bars-Chocolate Wafers, etc.
Absolutely Pure Goods.

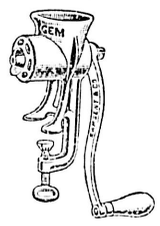
R·I·P·A·N·S
I did not know what it was to eat a good breakfast in the morning. By noon I would become so sick and have great pain and discomfort. I got so that I would do without eating as long as I could, so as to avoid the misery. At night I could not sleep. The doctors said I had nervous indigestion. I heard much about Ripans Tabules and at last I thought I would try them. I had only taken one box when I obtained relief.
All Druggists.
The Five-Cent packet is enough for an ordinary occasion. The family bottle, 60c, contains a supply for a year.

"THISTLE" Rubber Belting
Every belt made to order, guaranteeing live rubber. Delivery two days following.
The J. C. McLAREN BELTING CO.
Montreal - - - Toronto.
STOCK CARRIED BY THE
Vancouver Engineering Works

A Faint Heart
Never Won a Fair Lady
So if your courage fails try
Lilly's Confections or Bon-Bons
They are winners every time; they are irresistible in their delightful, delicious flavors, and they always find favor with the ladies.
LILLEY'S ICE CREAM PARLORS & CANDY FACTORY

The Mystery of Success
We will tell you all about it. We are selling more Majestic Ranges than ever. Our customers tell us they are perfect cookers, fuel savers and endurable. Our fall stock of air tight heaters have arrived. We intend to sell them at popular prices. To save you from being burnt to death in your bed, we have laid in stock an excellent line of Fire Guards. We are offering them at prices that will MAKE you buy. Call and see us. No trouble to show goods.
Yours in Strictly Business,
GEO. POWELL & Co.,
Cheapside, - 127 Govt. St.,
Victoria B. C.

The E. B. Eddy Co.
HULL, CANADA
Manufacturers of all kinds of
Papers, Tubs, Pails, Washboards, Candy Pails, Jam Pails, Matches.
JAMES MITCHELL, AGENT

It won't chop wood


but Sargent's Gem Food Chopper will chop raw meat, cooked meat, vegetables of all kinds, fruit, crackers, bread, eggs, cheese, nuts, figs and other foods, and
It will chop
them all rapidly, easily, coarse or fine, in uniform pieces, without mashing, squeezing, tearing or grinding.
E. G. PRIOR & CO.,
Cor. Government and Johnson Streets, Victoria.

THE STAMP
Of public approval is now placed upon our business and our methods, by the good people of Victoria. The reason is not hard to find, for it is an undisputed fact, that if you want the best for the least money, SAUNDERS' is the place to get it.
Try our Ooilcans this season, per kit, $1.75.
Labrador Herring, extra choice. Black Cod, none better.
We have just received a carload of Bonaparte Potatoes, the finest in the land.
THE SAUNDERS GROCERY CO., LTD. PHONE 28. 39 & 41 JOHNSON ST.

DINNEFORD'S
The Physician's Cure for Gout, Rheumatic Gout and Gravel.
The Universal Remedy for Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Eructations, Bilious Affections.
Safest and most Gentle Medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and the Sickness of Pregnancy.
DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA
MAGNESIA

BOWES'
Chilblain Liniment 25c
Relieves the Soreness and Inflammation.
Soothes and Heals.
CYRUS H. BOWES, Chemist,
OVERNMENT STREET NEAR YATES STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

In Flavor and Aroma Perfect
NUGGET CIGAR
PACIFIC CIGAR CO., 105 Johnson St.

MORE REAL ESTATE.
1 good building lot, off Oak Bay avenue, close to Junction.. .. ..$175
1 6-roomed house, with bath, on Pembroke street.. .. ..$900
160 Farm in Saanich, nearly all under cultivation, with splendid house, out-buildings, to be sold at a bargain.
INSURANCE
The new profit saving accident and health policy, issued by the Dominion of Canada Guarantee Accident company of Toronto, cannot be beaten in Canada. Call and see it.
J. E. CHURCH, Broker, - 14 Trounce Avenue

Kodak Albums
New Supply Just Received by the
Victoria Book & Stationery Company, Ltd.
GOVERNMENT STREET.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Special—Carpenters' Tools at Cheapside. *

Lawn Mowers and Grass Shears at Cheapside. *

If you have beauty,
I will take it.
If you have none,
I will make it.
SAVANNAH, Photo.
Five Sisters' Block.

Air-tight Heaters—own make—genuine Russia Iron, at Clarke & Pearson's, 17 Yates street. *

See our new styles in American soft hats at $2.50 each. B. Williams & Co. *

J. & J. TAYLOR'S FIRE-PROOF SAFES —AND— VAULT DOORS
John Barnsley & Co.
Agents,
115 GOVERNMENT ST.

Fire Guards at Cheapside, air-tight heaters at Cheapside; bird cages at Cheapside.

FIRE SALE
Going on all the time.
Campbell & Cullin,
Cor. Trounce Ave. and Govt. St.

20 dozen wool fleeced underwear, $1.00 per suit. B. Williams & Co. *

Save your carpet during winter time by using an Art Square of Jute Drugget over it. Why spoil your carpet when a square of carpet 9ft.x9ft. can be bought for $4.50? A square that looks well and will wear well. Weiler Bros. *

Imperial Ceylon Tea—Erskine, Wall & Co., sole agents.

See our lines of waterproof overcoats and cravenette raglaus. B. Williams & Co. *

No "Job Lots" Here!!!
Our Teas and Coffees are pure and reliable—the same in quality and price as heretofore—and heretofore we have had no reason to fear competition.
DIRECT
Importing Tea & Coffee Co.
Cor. Douglas and Johnson Sts.
Phone 803. Victoria, B.C.

UNDERWEAR
UNDERWEAR
With the first tinge of cold in the air comes this opportunity to provide warm and comfortable underwear for Fall and Winter at prices that are moderate.
3 Cases
Of fine Imported English and Scotch Lamb's Wool Underwear, ranging in price from $4.50 to $5.00 a suit.
Also a full line of Dr. Jaeger's and Cartwright's & Warner's Underwear in heavy weights.
UNDERWEAR
SEA & GOWEN
Men's Furnishers and Hatters.
64 Government St.

DRY CORD WOOD FOR SALE
VICTORIA TRANSFER CO., Ltd
TELEPHONE 120.

AN IDEAL HOME
For $3000.
We will sell you an eight-roomed cottage situated on one of the nicest streets in Victoria, and having all modern conveniences, including a furnace, for the very moderate sum of $3,000. Ask for particulars.
Heisterman & Co.

ACROSS WILDS OF SIBERIA

An English Globe Trotter Has Poor Idea of Russian Line.

Thos. Lewen, of London, England, is registered at the Dominion, having arrived from the Far East by the last direct steamer. Mr. Lewen is on a tour of the world, having crossed Asia by the Trans-Siberian railway. The trip is being made for pleasure, but Mr. Lewen's relation of his experiences on the Siberian railway gives anything but a pleasurable aspect to such a voyage. The line is still very rough, and the travel at the time Mr. Lewen crossed was very largely confined to natives of Russia and the semi-civilized tribes along the line of the railway. The principal traffic on the line seems to be from Asia towards Europe, and the accommodations at present are not such as are likely to attract the better class of travelers, particularly Europeans bound for the Far East.

Part of the route is by water, the inland sea of Lake Baikal being made use of as a portion of the system, huge steamers having been constructed, which ply on those waters and connect the two ends of the main line. Mr. Lewen's experience on the Siberian railway was not the most pleasant imaginable, there being a great lack of system in the matter of providing good meals at many points on the line.

Mr. Lewen continues his homeward journey this morning, leaving for Vancouver, where he will take the C. P. R. for the East.

H. M. S. POLYPHEMUS.

Torpedo Rams Have Become Obsolete in the Navy.

The British navy will soon lose one of its most noted units, orders having been given to strip the torpedo-ram Polyphemus, preparatory, it is understood to selling her out of the service.

Of all the quaintly-shaped men-of-war, the Polyphemus cut the oddest figure. In build she is like a big cigar, with bridges and conning towers fixed upon it. She was designed for ramming and "torpedoing," and carries only a few light guns. She can be so submerged as to offer but a small target. The experiment she represents was not repeated.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

100 men's overcoats, left from last season, half price for cash, B. Williams & Co. *

DO NOT FAIL TO VISIT THE BAZAAR AT INSTITUTE HALL. NOW IN PROGRESS. NEW ATTRACTIONS EVERY EVENING.

15 cases "Christy's" latest style hats in stiff and soft, just in. B. Williams & Co. *

The first touch of winter has sent many customers to Weiler Bros. during the last few days. Sensible people know where to buy reliable goods. Weiler Bros. stock of blankets, eider down quilts, and snow-flake comforters is unsurpassed, and the prices are consistent with the quality. *

Boys' Reefers, sizes 22 to 28, $1.50 each for cash. B. Williams & Co. *

Just now is the time to be looking out for Xmas presents. We will lay aside any article you select. You should take the time to carefully inspect our stocks, as we are showing hundreds of useful, yet very pretty goods. Weiler Bros. *

150 Boys' Overcoats $2.00 each, former price $3.50 to $5.00. B. Williams & Co. *

Ye Olde Blue Willow Ware, Stone and Rockingham Ware, Toilet Sets, Tea and Dinner Sets, cheap for cash, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street.*

Umbrellas, 50c. each to $10.00 each, 100 dozen to select from. B. Williams & Co. *

We will demonstrate Cowan's Cocoa, Chocolate, etc., beginning on Wednesday, 12th. Mowat & Wallace, grocers.*

Lace Parlors.
A fine assortment of Silk Arabian Braids, Linen Braids, Colored Linens, Japanese Linens and Embroidering Silks.
The latest lace designs always on hand.
MRS. F. V. ROBERTSON,
28 Five Sisters' Block.

Local News.

Slaughter of Deer.—It is reported that the Indians about Quatsino are killing deer for their hides, leaving the carcasses to rot in the woods.

Y. S. S. A.—The International Sundap School association of British Columbia will hold its annual convention at Nanaimo on December 5, and following days.

Socialist League—The Socialist League will hold a meeting tomorrow evening in Labor hall, at which J. H. Hawthornthwaite, M. P. P., and other leaders, will deliver addresses.

Ladies of the Maccabees.—The regular meeting of the Ladies' of the Maccabees will be held this evening at 8 o'clock sharp. A full attendance of members is requested.

V. C. K. C.—The annual meeting of the Victoria City Kennel club will be held in Pioneer hall this evening at 8 o'clock, for the election of officers, and to make arrangements for next year's show.

Civil Service Exams.—The annual examinations of candidates for the Dominion civil service will begin this morning at the City hall at 9 o'clock. The examinations will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Campbell.

No. 4 Co., Fifth Regiment.—Tomorrow evening at 9:30 there will be a meeting of No. 4 company at the Drill hall. The meeting is called to consider arrangements for the ball, basketball, etc., and therefore a full attendance is desired.

Medal Presented.—The South African war medal, with two clasps, Talanga and Relief of Ladysmith, were presented to Gunner W. Geohegan, R. A., at Sunday's church parade, by Lt.-Col. Grant, R. E., commanding the troops at Esquimalt.

Masquerade Ball.—The Sons and Daughters of St. George are leaving no stone unturned to make their annual masquerade ball, which will take place in the A. O. U. W. hall on Thursday evening, even more enjoyable than those of former years.

Preparing For Christmas.—The Centennial Methodist Sunday school is already preparing for its annual cantata and Christmas tree entertainment. Committees have been appointed and everything is well under way to make the affair a success.

Awarded a Medal.—On exhibition at the British Columbia Saddlery Co.'s is a fine silver medal which they have just received from the judging committee for the quality and display of their harness at the last Provincial Exhibition. They also captured the diploma for general saddlery.

Voters' League.—The Voters' League will hold an important meeting at the City hall this (Tuesday) evening at 8, for a further discussion of the sewer question, and to receive the report on the Dallas Road embankment. All citizens interested in these matters are cordially invited to attend.

Northern Corn.—Two cobs of corn grown in the garden of Iver Fouguer, of Hagensborg, Bella Coola, on new land, the clearing not yet large enough to receive the full benefit of the sun, are to be seen at the Department of Agriculture. These cobs, although small, are fully ripened, and go to prove that that part of the country is well adapted for corn growing.

C. O. D. Parcels.—Under a recent order, the Canadian Pacific Navigation company will not take C. O. D. packages for Fraser river points in future. Little inconvenience will be felt by Victoria merchants, but in the case of business houses at the Mainland towns it is claimed by the Vancouver papers that a difference of three or four days will be made to people on the Fraser who want goods sent them.

Horticultural Society.—The monthly social meeting of members and friends, will be held in the City hall on Thursday next at 8 p. m., when a paper will be read by Mr. Gage "on the culture of the chrysanthemum," followed by a discussion on the subject. The committee gladly welcome the attendance of visitors interested in the growth and culture of flowers, and wishful to spend an hour, in giving or receiving information thereon.

Veterans' Dinner.—The annual dinner of the Veterans' association of Vancouver Island, takes place this evening at the Royal Cafe. The assembly will sound at 8 o'clock sharp, and dinner call at 8:30. Those who have not already secured tickets can get them from Mr. E. C. B. Bagshawe, 35 Fort street. The committee in charge of the dinner held a meeting yesterday afternoon and perfected arrangements for the event, which promises to be a most enjoyable one. It is particularly requested that all veterans wear their medals and the ribbon of the association.

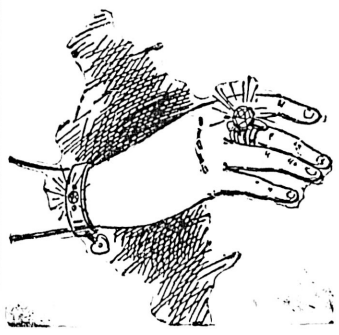
The Tramway.—Manager Goward, of the British Columbia Electric Railway & Lighting company, ever alive to the interests of his employer's patrons, has arranged that in future any special tram facilities which may be arranged for special occasions, such as theatre parties, balls, banquets, etc., will be duly announced through the advertising columns of the Colonist. An announcement which may be anticipated shortly is the arrangement of a quick service on some of the lines during the busy hours of the winter months. The advertising space which the Tramway company utilizes in the columns of the Colonist may be expected to contain an interesting announcement in this regard in the near future.

A Pioneer Ill.—A. J. McLellan, one of the pioneers in Island development, lies at his residence on the Gorge road in a very precarious condition. Up to a few months ago Mr. McLellan was a very active man, and did not anticipate any sudden call to cease his labors in this mundane spere. His friends now, however, anticipate the worst. He was prominently identified with salmon canning enterprises in the early stages of the inauguration of that industry in this province, constructed a large portion of the route of the E. & N. railway, and, latterly, has been prominently identified as a general manager of numerous large mining enterprises on the Island. His present condition causes his friends and acquaintances grave alarm.

Trade With Ladysmith.—The Vancouver Board of Trade has recently been attempting to devise ways and means whereby the trade of Ladysmith and adjacent Vancouver Island points may be diverted to the merchants of Vancouver. The Victoria Board of Trade is cognizant of such efforts on the part of the Mainland rival, and at the next meeting of the council of the local Board of Trade efforts will be made to induce such action by Victoria merchants as will conserve the business which may be done with Ladysmith and adjacent Island points to this city. The Vancouver people have been particularly active recently in attempts to capture the legitimate fields of Island merchants, and a well-defined movement is on foot to off-set such endeavors.

Walter S. Fraser & Co., Ld.
DEALERS IN HARDWARE
Iron, Steel, Pipe, Fittings, and Brass Goods,
Building, Mining and Logging Supplies a Specialty.
Contractors Plant, Picks, Shovels, Barrows, Etc.
A Large Consignment of Norway Iron just to hand from England.
WHARF STREET
TELEPHONE No. 3. P.O. BOX 423. VICTORIA, B.C.

BEST QUALITY! LOWEST PRICES!!



A beautiful hand looks more beautiful when adorned with handsome rings. We have rings set with diamonds only, and with diamonds in combination with rubies, emeralds and other gems at moderate prices.
Engagement rings, wedding rings, keeper rings, signet rings, and in fact rings of every description are to be found in our extensive stock at prices ranging from $1.00 to $350.00 each.
C. E. REDFERN
43 Government Street.
Established 1862. Telephone 118.

DR. WILLIAMS' OPTICAL PARLORS
106 Government St., Near Yates.
ARE NOW OPEN.
EYES TESTED. FRAMES FITTED.

Tourist Association.—The first annual meeting of the Tourist Association will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the City hall. The principal business will be receiving the reports of the executive committee and the election of officers for the coming year.

Amateur Theatricals.—On Thursday next, the 13th instant, an entertainment will be held in Colquitz hall, Garnham, in aid of the Colquitz mission. The latest farce, "Dandilion Dodges," will be presented by the Cedar Hill Comic Opera Company, and will be followed by a programme of vocal and instrumental music. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

Dredging the Harbor.—The Mudlarks has gone to the upper harbor and is now anchored off the wharf of the Victoria Machinery Depot, preparatory to commencing the work of deepening the water in front of the site of the company's new marine ways. The lots upon which these ways will be constructed have been leveled off and everything is about ready to commence the work of construction.

First Presbyterian Y. P. L. S.—The Young People's Literary Society of the First Presbyterian church held their bi-weekly meeting last night. The president being absent, Vice-President Baird occupied the chair. After the appointment of a programme committee for the ensuing six months, an excellent paper on Charles Dickens was read by Miss McMillan. Readings from Dickens' works were also given by Miss Vaughan and Mr. McCandless.

The School Board—The regular monthly meeting of the Board of School Trustees tomorrow evening, should be a more than usually lively one, inasmuch as the question of the segregation of the Chinese scholars now in attendance at the public schools will come up for discussion. It is known that a considerable difference of opinion regarding the suggested means of dealing with the question exists among the trustees, and an interesting debate is anticipated.

An Appointment.—Mr. R. S. Day, of this city, has been appointed the general agent of the Guardian Assurance company, limited, for the province. Hitherto the management of the Guardian's business in the smaller towns of the Mainland has been in the hands of a Winnipeg firm, but the entire business of the company for British Columbia, with the exception of that for the cities of Vancouver and New Westminster, has now been transferred to Mr. Day's management.

J. B. A. A. Dance.—It is just 18 days until the J. B. A. A. dance. Committees are organized and all that can be done at this date is being attended to. The Bays are going at the matter with vigorous attack, and with the bold intention of making their dance the best ever held in Victoria. At their last dance they placed their standard high; this year they will go one better. The ball committee will meet at the J. B. A. A. office on Wednesday. All are asked to attend, as the business is important.

"SHORE ACRES."

An Iowa Poet's Tribute to Herne's Great Play.

The well known Iowa poet, Mr. Will Reed Dunroy, paid the following beautiful tribute to James A. Herne's famous comedy-drama, "Shore Acres," which is to have a fine scenic production at the Victoria theatre tomorrow night:

"As pure as a breath of new mown hay,
From a summer field at dawn;
As fond as the song of a thrush at night
When his mate is forever gone."

"A homely story and of homely folk,
And of homely lovers that part;
A bit of real life lived out on the stage
That mellows and softens the heart."

"A story with heart throbs in every line;
Of love, and passion and pain;
With an ending as sweet as a rose in bloom
New washed with a sudden rain."

SUBMARINE LAUNCHES.

Work Well Advanced on the Boats for War Department.

The two steel launches being built by the Victoria Machinery Depot for the use of the submarine miners attached to the Work Point garrison, are now nearing completion. One of the boats wil be ready to take the water very shortly, her hull being nearly ready for the finishing touches, while the second vessel has the plate on the greater portion of her hull. The two launches show very neat lines, and should develop good speed. Their principal use, however, will be in connection with the laying of mines, etc., in the mine field at the entrance to Esquimalt harbor, in the event of war. The vessels are being built under contract with the Imperial government, and will be first of their kind ever constructed here.

Buy weather strips and burn less fuel. J. P. Burgess, Broughton street.

Dermyl
For Chapped Hands, Soothes and Heals.
Price 25 Cents Per Bottle.
John Cochrane
CHEMIST.
N. W. Corner Yates and Douglas streets.

THEY BURIED THE HATCHET

Capt. Coleman and His Former Wife to Adjust Their Differences.

Yesterday the harbinger of peace was about to settle upon the trials and tribulations of Capt. Coleman and his former wife, Mrs. Smith, both of San Francisco, but Mr. Justice Walkem refused to allow the aforesaid harbinger to alight, at least it might in the meantime continue to hover over the involved affairs of the twain until His Lordship could make sure that the majesty of the law had not been in any way slighted.

The matter came before the judge in this manner: Capt. Coleman, who was arrested on requisition from the San Francisco police on the charge of kidnapping his little daughter as related in Sunday's issue of the Colonist, had agreed to transfer the custody of the pretty little girl to his former wife, Mrs. Smith, whose adventures on the troubled sea of matrimony were also related a day or two ago—provided the charge against him was allowed to drop. Accordingly Mr. Geo. Powell, for Mrs. Smith, and Mr. Frank Higgins for Capt. Coleman, and Mr. John Langley, superintendent of city police, with the little girl in charge, together with the two parents who "have drifted apart" drove to the residence of Mr. Justice Walkem, who although unwell, consented to hear the application in camera as it were.

Mr. Powell, in opening the case, stated that both parties had agreed to a modus vivendi, provided His Lordship would agree to the modus. This latter was that Capt. Coleman was willing, as related above, to relinquish his claim to his daughter provided the charge of kidnapping against him were withdrawn.

Judge Walkem, however, did not see the matter in this light, and pointed out that the charge was a serious one, and he did not propose to allow any one to try to play fast and loose with the courts of this province, Where the machinery of the law was put in motion no one should stop them until justice had been done. Before he would give a decision in the matter he wished to have all the documents in the case placed before him.

Upon this Mr. Powell, on behalf of Mrs. Smith asked that the child be given into her keeping. This Mr. Higgins for Capt. Coleman opposed, and the court decided that in the meantime the little girl remain in the care of Chief Langley.

IN LEGAL CIRCLES.

Applications Disposed of in Chambers by Mr. Justice Martin.

In chambers yesterday Mr. Justice Martin disposed of a couple of applications. In Yorke v. Yangtsze Insurance Co., an action by Frank Yorke, owner of the pile-driver Stevedore, for loss of the latter, under a policy of marine insurance issued in January for two weeks, it was alleged that on March 3 for a renewal for one months. A renewal slip was issued, but the vessel was wrecked at Sidney on March 4. Plaintiff commenced suit for the amount of his policy, and Frank Higgins applied for judgment under order XIV. The defendants' attorney, A. F. R. Martin, opposed the application, producing an affidavit which alleges fraud on plaintiff's part in applying for a renewal. Mr. Higgins then abandoned the summons. The costs of the application were awarded the defendants on the ground that the claim on the writ is under the policy; whereas the renewal slip forms a new policy, under which no claim by special endorsement can be made.

In the case of Clearihue v. British-Yukon Co., C. O'Brien, for the defendants, applied for leave to issue further interrogatories, which was granted, costs being awarded plaintiff in any event. Mr. F. Higgins appeared for the plaintiff.

The sitting of the County court is adjourned till Monday, 24th inst.

CAMPBELL'S

485
Sale of Ladies Costumes
These new Tailor-made Suits are samples just received, and afford a good opportunity to buy a NOBBY UP-TO-DATE SUIT AT NEARLY HALF ITS VALUE. Prices range—
$7.50, $9.00, $12.50.
GOOD VALUE AT DOUBLE THE MONEY.

Whiskey and Debauchery

Louis Olsen and John Carlsen Charged With Supplying to Indians.

Latter May Have to Face Serious Charge—Mischievous Boys Arrested.

Louis Olsen, formerly a prosperous sealer and owner of the lost schooner Hatzic, then known as the Louis Olsen, and John Carlson, who holds mate's papers, both of whom are now cabin men, living in a precarious manner and working in spells, sufficient only to buy food and whiskey, are on trial in the Police court, charged with supplying liquor to Maggie, and Mary Ann, her 10-year-old daughter, Ahousaht Indians, the former being the cook of the sealing schooner, who had her bail estreated on Saturday. Carlsen is liable to be charged with a much more serious crime, that of having carnal knowledge of the little girl, who is but 10 years old, evidence to that effect having come out in the trial of the case of supplying liquor.

It seems that Maggie, the Ahousaht woman, and her "tenass," after leaving the lock-up, went to the Harbor cottages, that block of cabins near Turret Rock, and visited the cabin of Olsen and Carlsen, who gave them liquor, and after a carousal, they spent the night there, Maggie in Olsen's room—the cabin is divided with a low partition—and her 10-year-old daughter in Carlsen's room. The accused, according to Maggie and Mary Ann, had each given them whiskey.

Maggie, who was first examined, said that when she went to the cabin, Louis offered to "gin her up." She drank three glasses of liquor, which tasted like brandy, and gave Carlsen six bits to go and get more. The little girl drank two glasses. After spending the night in the cabin, she gave Carlsen $10 next morning to go and get whiskey. He brought some, but gave her no change. All drank the whiskey in two bottles. The little girl was drunk when she went to bed, and drunk when she got up.

Mary Ann gave evidence that the accused had given her whiskey, and that Carlsen had been guilty of improper conduct with her. She gave her evidence in the Indian tongue, an interpreter putting it into Chinook and another into English, while the mother gave her evidence in Chinook.

The accused asked many questions, and finally, after the witnesses reiterated the statements made in their evidence, Carlsen said:

"This bane a put-up job—all a lie! I want a lawyer!"

Magistrate Hall explained that it would have been better to have got a lawyer to defend him at the commencement of the case.

"Well," said Carlsen, "I wanted to see how it would turn out. It's not the same as what I thought, and I want a lawyer."

"All right," said the magistrate. "Do you want a lawyer, too, Olsen?"

"I don't know. I don't know what the charge is against me, for I haven't got any house and I haven't got any whiskey. I want the women to tell where I got the house and where I got the whiskey they speak about."

"Oh, come," said the magistrate; "you've heard the charge. You are charged with supplying these two women with liquor."

The case was then adjourned until the afternoon, when Mr. J. P. Walls appeared for Carlsen and Mr. McLean, of Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, for Olsen. A further adjournment was taken to allow of their being instructed, and then Mr. Walls asked for a further adjournment, arguing that he had been instructed that this charge was a trumped-up one, and alleging blackmail by the Indians. He wanted an adjournment until Wednesday morning, as he could not do justice to his client otherwise. The case was adjourned until Wednesday.

On Sunday the gang of mischievous boys who have been doing much damage to property of late, entered the paint works of the British-American Paint Company, on Humboldt street, and did considerable harm. They took a number of cans of paint and oil and turned them out on the floor, solely for the love of mischief. Then they pilfered an orchard in James Bay district. The police, having a good idea of the malefactors, were soon on the lookout for them, and after several ineffectual chases, for the boys are sprinters, Constable Handley found them on Johnson street yesterday morning, dividing up a pie, probably stolen, and he adroitly clinched three of them, the fourth slipping away. The three, Roy Cluness, Atkinson and Pete Hansen, were taken to the lock-up and charged with breaking and entering. The fourth boy, Bob Hansen, was in the hands of an officer yesterday afternoon, but managed to wrench himself free outside the City hall and run up Pandora street. Afterwards he cheekily returned to the lock-up and peered in. Then he fled.

Alex. Vasilatos and Fred. Hargreaves, two of the boys who escaped from the Reformatory a short time ago, after having locked in their keeper, were arrested in Vancouver, and returned to the Reformatory last night by the steamer Charmer. Jackson, another of the escapees, is still at large. Vasilatos has escaped before.

Willie Harris, an Indian, was charged with being found drunk on Store street, and was fined $5, with the option of ten days. He paid the fine. Philip Chalk made another appearance on the same charge, and was fined $7.50 or fifteen days. He took the fifteen days.

Albert Glenn, accused of assault by John James, was remanded until today, and Frederick Simmons, accused of vagrancy, was also remanded, his case going over until Thursday, when he will endeavor to show that he has means of support.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO GET WELL.
You are offered Dr. Chase's Nerve Food as the most perfect restorative, blood creator and system builder that was ever prepared. The name of the discoverer, Dr. A. W. Chase, is enough to guarantee this, and besides you have the testimony of scores and hundreds of cured ones in every part of Canada and the United States. You can use it knowing that it is bound to do you good.

We Have Them
You'll like them. Large and varied stock of
Music Carriers and Wrappers
The very latest styles from the Eastern cities at lowest prices.
Mouth Organs
Twenty new styles of these instruments. All prices. See our windows for display.
M. W. Waitt & Co.
44 Government St.
Agents for the Chase & Baker Piano Players and the Angelus Orchestral Players.

FOR SALE.
Teas, Coffees, Silks, Etc.
Agents for Chinese labor or contracting work!
SUI CHAN & CO.
150 Government St., between Fisgard and Herald.

MUSICAL NOVELTIES.
REGINA MUSIC BOXES, PHONOGRAPHS, DISC TALKING MACHINES, AUTO HARPS, COLUMBIA ZITHERS, ACCORDEONS, MOUTH ORGANS, Etc,
Special sale of Mandolins this week.
FLETCHER BROS.
TEL. 885.

SOMETHING WRONG

Probably the lenses in the glass are not ground to fit the peculiarities of the vision; or perhaps they should be replaced by new and stronger ones.
We are very successful in remedying and removing all defects of vision in old or young. Examination free.
A. P. BLYTH,
Scientific Optician and Watchmaker. 89
Fort Street, near Douglas.

DO YOU WANT
GOLD DUST?
HAVE A TALK WITH
Fred. Carne, Jr.
Don't forget the address. 80 Yates St

FROM.....
Huddersfield Mills
A Select Assortment of the
FINEST WORSTED SUITINGS
EVER SHOWN IN VICTORIA.
Call and see them for yourselves, at
PEDENS
36 Fort St. Merchant Tailor

THE B. C. DRUG STORE
27 Johnson Street
For all kinds of COUGH MIXTURES, including Balsam of Aniseed (especially prepared for children); TEAGUE'S OWN COMPOUND SYRUP; WHITE PINE AND TAR; besides a full line of all the Patent Medicines. Phone 856.

Just Arrived
Fine line of watches, suitable for boys. Price $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00. All fully guaranteed.
W. R. SHAKESPEARE,
The Jeweler, 74 Yates Street.

Fifty Years the Standard

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Awarded

Highest Honors World's Fair.

Highest Tests U. S. Gov't Chemists

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by The Stuart Robertson Co., Ltd., successors to A. W. More & Co., Ltd., 23 Broad street.)

Toronto, Nov. 10.—The following were the closing quotations on the Mining Exchange today:

	Asked.	Bid.
Black Tail	10½	9
Canadian G. F. S.	4¼	3
Cariboo McKinney	21	19
Cariboo Hydraulic	90	
Centre Star	35½	34
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	$500	
Deer Trail Con.	2	
Fairview Corp	6	4
Golden Crown	5	
Giant	5	3
Lone Pine—Surprise Con	5½	3½
Morning Glory	3	
Morrison	3	
Mountain Lion	17½	12
North Star	19	16
Payne	15	12
Rambler Cariboo Con	55	40
Sullivan	6	3
Virtue	9	7½
War Eagle Con.	20	17
White Bear	3½	2¾
Winnipeg	4	
Wonderful	4	
St. Eugene	45	40
Dom. Cons.	4¾	3

TORONTO SALES.

War Eagle, 500 at 19½, 500 at 19½.

ROSSLAND SALES.

Sullivan, 2,000 at 4.
War Eagle, 500 at 18½.
Centre Star, 1,000 at 26, 1,500 at 35¼.
Homestake, 2,000 at 3.
White Bear, 1,000 at 3.
Giant, 2,000, 5,000 at 3.
Cariboo, McKinney, 1,000 at 20, 1,000 at 20½.
Fisher Maiden, 5,000 at 3.
Jim Blaine, 500 at 4.
Payne, 4,000 at 13.
Republic, 1,000 at 7½.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Nov. 10.—The following were the closing bids on the Stock Exchange today:

Amalgamated Copper	59½
American Locomotive	27
American Locomotive pfd	91¼
American Sugar Refining Co.	115½
American Sugar Refining Co. pfd	115¼
American Smelting & Refiing Co.	43
Anaconda Mining Co.	88
Atchison	83⅛
Atchison pfd	86½
Baltimore & Ohio	100¼
Chicago & Alton	32
Canadian Pacific	131¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	45⅞
Chicago & Northwestern	221
Rock Island	194
St. Paul	181¼
Colorado Southern	29
Consolidation Gas, New York	213¼
Corn Products	29½
Corn Products pfd	81
Cleveland, C. C. & St. L.	94
Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	245
Denver & Rio Grande	41
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	89¼
Duluth, S. S. & A.	25¼
Great Northern Railway pfd	185
General Electric	178½
Kansas & Texas	26¼
Kansas & Texas pfd	56⅞
Louisville & Nashville	130¾
Manhattan Elevated	134¼
Missouri Pacific	152
Minn., St. P. & S. St. M.	76½
Metropolitan Traction	137½
New York Central	151
Erie Railway	34⅜
Erie Railway 1st pfd	64⅞
Erie Railway 2nd pfd	46¼
New York, Ontario & Western	30¼
Norfolk & Western	130¼
Pacific Mail	39¼
Pennsylvania Railway	157⅞
Pressed Steel	59
People's Gas	101¼
Philadelphia & Reading	58¾
Philadelphia & Reading 1st pfd	84⅞
Philadelphia & Reading 2nd pfd	57½
Southern Railway	34
Southern Railway pfd	91¼
Southern Pacific	66¾
Tennessee Coal & Iron	59¾
Texas & Pacific	43
Twin City	118
United States Leather	113½
United States Leather pfd	88⅜
United States Steel	47¼
United States Steel pfd	84⅜
United States Rubber	17
Union Pacific	102
Union Pacific pfd	50½
Wabash Railway	43⅜
Wabash Railway pfd	44
Western Union	80
Wisconsin Central	25
Wisconsin Central pfd	50
C. P. R. in London	134¾
Commercial Cable Co.	175

Money on call, steady, transactions ranging from 4 to 6 per cent; last loan, 3 per cent; ruling rate, 5¼ per cent; closed and offered, 3 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5½ and 6 per cent; sterling exchange, steady at decline, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87 and $4.87¼ and $4.84 for 60 day bills; posted rates, $4.85 and $4.88; commercial bills, $4.83; bar silver, 49¾; Mexican dollars, 39¼; government bonds, weak; state bonds, dull; railroad bonds, weak.

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—The following were the closing prices of futures on the Exchange today: Oats, Nov., 29¾; Dec., 30; old, 29; May, 31¼. Wheat, Dec., 72½; and 72¾; May, 73⅝ and 73¾. Corn, Nov., 52¾; Dec., 50½; May, 42 and 42⅛; July, 41⅞.

To Assimilate Food

see that your stomach and liver are in proper condition. To do it easily and pleasantly take

Beecham's Pills

Sold Everywhere. In boxes, 25 cents.

Condition of Le Roi Mine

John. H. Mackenzie Makes a Statement—Prospects Were Never Better.

Large Bodies of High Grade Ore Not Yet Touched.

"The Le Roi mine will neither shut down on the 10th instant, nor at any other time. It will run right along, and as far as I can see, there is no necessity of it shutting down at all. Neither will the Northport smelter be closed for lack of coke, for a cleanup or for any other reason."

Such were the words addressed to a representative of the Rossland World last Thursday by General Manager John H. Mackenzie. He was approached with regard to the depressing rumors recently put in circulation by interested parties. He declared most unequivocally that there was no truth whatsoever in them.

"The situation," continued Mr. Mackenzie, "is much about that which I declared it to be last June. I recommended, for various reasons, that the Le Roi should be mined for its high grade ore, in order that its financial condition should be the more quickly cleared. The trouble in the coke supply meant that we could not well ship the run of the mine. As soon as that trouble is cleared, the run of mine will be shipped and the Le Roi will export up to its full capacity. But the condition of the coke supply is such that it will not be upon a proper basis until next spring. By that time the Le Roi will be shipping over the whole of the mine. Even if the coke supply was kept short for a longer period we could still keep on shipping as at present. It would to a certain extent depreciate the run of the mine, but not to make it unprofitable to smelt.

"There is far more high grade in the mine than was at first estimated. The main stopes are left untouched at present. There is more than one vein in the Le Roi and the main vein is as good as ever it was, it is untouched but will be shipped later on.

"The coke supply is sufficient at present to keep three furnaces going and I hope next month to blow in a fourth which will augment the output of the camp.

"As to the concentration problem, I can only say that the Le Roi is actively making experiments. So is the Le Roi No. 2. The War Eagle and Centre Star are not the only mines that are trying the concentration problem. We are expending quite as much money in this direction. Yes, perhaps twice as much.

"I cannot say," said Mr. Mackenzie in answer to a query, "exactly where we will erect a concentrator, but I will say that as far as the water is concerned, we are perfectly willing to leave ourselves in the hands of the city. We want water, but we are not in the least afraid the city will take advantage of our necessities. The well being of the Le Roi is the well being of Rossland, which every Rosslander must recognize, and we are not afraid that he will treat us otherwise than fairly."

"Yes, I think you are absolutely right in the attitude your paper has assumed in this question. You are fighting the battle of the camp."

"Rossland," finished up Mr. Mackenzie, "has no earthly reason to be panicky. Everything will come out all right in the end, and as to the present, it is looking very cheerful."

B. C. MINING RECORD.

The leading article in the British Columbia Mining Record for November is an illustrated description of the Granby Mines, at Phoenix.

EX-EMPRESS EUGENIE.

Threatens to Attach Property of the French Republic.

It is reported that the ex-Empress Eugenie is expected in Paris shortly to carry out her threat to attach the property of the Republic for the various judgments obtained by her in civil suits against the State. It is within possibility she may levy on the Louvre, though some think she might take it into her head to attach the Elysee, the president's official residence. The judgments rendered in favor of her former majesty are as follows: Two millions two hundred and ninety-seven thousand francs with 5 per cent interest beginning January 1, 1894; 475 pieces of precious Sevres porcelain and 2 mosaic pictures of Louis Napoleon and the Empress; furthermore, some 50 great paintings now exhibited in the Louvre. These latter Her Majesty is willing to present to the nation if the government agrees to properly label them as her gifts. It seems strange that the Republic refuses to settle with the one time Empress and regent of France, for Eugenie has never done anything to embarrass the French government. To the contrary, she always refuses to establish, or back, newspaper organs, and she keeps the pretender, Victor Napoleon, so short in funds that he cannot attempt even to organize a party, giving him barely $7,500 annually, while her own income is more than $1,000,000.

ON WALL STREET.

New York, Nov. 10.—Today's market absorbed a heavy amount of liquidation and worked off a large amount of excited sentiment. As a net result the closing tone of the market was quiet and steady, with many wide breaches in values completely restored, and all of them much reduced.

The Rosella Mining Syndicate

Immense Fissure Veins Carrying Values in Copper and Silver.

Cassiar Only Requires Railway Facilities to Make Mining Profitable.

J. W. Haskins, of this city, who spent last summer in Cassiar in the interests of the Rosella Mining Syndicate, has been in town for a few weeks and is making arrangements to return to the field of his operations early in 1903. Mr. Haskins has spent five years in the country drained by the Dease and Liard rivers. For one year he was in the employ of the Cassiar Central Railway Company, in charge of the development of the Applejack and McDames Creek claims, on McDames creek. To give an idea of the formation of that part of the province, Mr. Haskins says:

"The strike of the formation is southeast and northwest. It is composed of slates, diorites and silicious sandstones, with dykes of limestone. The formation is well defined, the rocks appearing to be in place and without many faults. There is very little folding of strata in some parts of the country, which explains why the deposits of ore in place are large and well defined. There is an absence of gash veins, stringers and pockets, the ore occurring in contact veins and large fissure veins. The Applejack is a fissure vein about 20 feet in width, assaying in silver 160 ounces to the ton, and carrying from 22 to 39 per cent. in copper. The paystreak, averaging, as I have stated, is 5 feet wide. A tunnel has been run in on the footwall 36 feet, exposing 5 feet of pay ore for the entire distance. The McDames Creek ledge is referred to in Dr. Dawson's report on Cassiar. The body of ore is about 85 feet wide. It averages about $100 in silver and lead to the ton. It carries copper, but there has been no assay for this metal. It is a bedded vein and crosses the creek at the foot of the canyon at the head of Chinese Bar. The assays that I have given were made by Mr. Lang, assayer for the Lenora mine. I put in a tunnel to cut the ledge at right angles, starting from the north side. At 17 feet 9 inches I struck the ore body, which was well defined, with 4 inches of gouge next the country rock on the footwall. I drove the tunnel 36 feet through solid ore, averaging $100 to the ton, stopping at a point which, according to measurement across the face of the ore body, was something over 50 feet from the south wall. The tunnel is 5x7 feet, and the ore on the dump will pay double the cost of the work done. I was all through Kootenay and discovered many of the best mines, but I never saw anything like this.

"The next year I was engaged with the company operating the Thibert Creek Hydraulic mine. This is a splendid property. The benches are from 200 to 300 feet high; there is plenty of water available and a fine dump. The dump is 83 feet high. I believe this will in a short time be one of the greatest producing properties in British Columbia. It is far from being the only hydraulic ground in Cassiar, but on scores of creeks there is just as good gravel, and in many instances water can be obtained much more cheaply than on Thibert creek.

"The reason why the country has not been more opened up is to be found in the excessive charges and limited facilities for transportations. The Cassiar Central "blanket" also retarded progress because it discouraged miners from going into the country. This has now expired and the district is open to everyone, and I look for a great influx of miners next year. I went into Cassiar first in 1898 for the Cobbledick Syndicate. This was composed of the chairmen of ten different London companies, and Mr. Cobbledick was sent out with authority to expend $200,000. They stopped operations on account of the Cassiar "blanket," as the following extract from Mr. Cobbledick's letter will show:

"'There is one abiding obstacle in the way of properties in Casiar—the Cassiar Central Railway charter.'

"The fourth year I went in for the Cassiar Venture Syndicate, and took up the whole of Rosella creek for hydraulic purposes; but the ground was subsequently staked by the Cassiar Central, and rather than have any trouble about it, my people told me not to go on.

"Being satisfied that the Rosella claims are valuable, a syndicate of Victoria and Esquimalt people put up the money to fully prospect these and obtain the leases, water rights, and so on, and I spent last summer in preliminary work there.

"The McDames creek ledge appears to to a part of a continuous body of ore extending across the country for many miles, rising and dipping, but everywhere carrying good values, gold in some places occurring with the silver, lead and copper. In some places the ore looks like the best Rossland ore. The point that I want to bring out is that the ore bodies and hydraulic gravels in this part of the province are practically unlimited, and unless my judgment is wholly at fault, when transportation facilities have been provided there will be an immense mining camp there, extending over thousands of square miles. The Rosella company's properties are only a little dot upon the map of this great country. I believe that geological reasons can be given why the ore bodies here are larger and more persistent than elsewhere in the province, but I am not a geologist, and will not attempt to speak about this. I only can tell what I have seen.

"Further north, that is north of the northern confines of the province, are very extensive coal deposits of good quality. Dr. Dawson also speaks of these, and also of deposits of galena and quartz. He describes it as a great field for prospectors and capital, and referring to the gravels of Cassiar, says they have been simply scratched over in search of shallow and high grade gravels.

"The climate is not a drawback. The ground is not frozen in the summer, except where covered with heavy moss. Many of the rivers scarcely freeze solid enough for safe travel. The hydraulic season is from the 1st of May to the middle of October, at least. There is some farming land and hardy grains and vegetables can be grown. There is plenty of grazing lands, and on some of the ranges horses can remain out all winter.

"I think the people of Victoria should take a keen interest in this part of the province, and lead in its development, so that their experience in regard to Dawson, Atlin and even Kootenay will not be repeated."

GOLD DREDGING ON FRASER.

Rich Ground Encountered by the Dredge Near Lytton.

The gold dredge at Lytton has done remarkably well since it was moved beyond the Van Winkle riffle. The ground now being worked, is very rich, but a good deal of the fine gold is lost. It is stated that if all the gold raised up by the buckets could be saved, the clean-up would be almost 100 ounces a week. As it is not over fifty per cent is saved, and the devising of some means of overcoming the loss is a problem that is engaging the attention of the management.

Mr. White, one of the directors of the company, came out from England lately and is inspecting the plant and making careful investigation into the conditions. So far, the operations conducted by this dredge have proved that the bed of the Fraser carries paying quantities of the precious metal. The appliances employed to save it are not, however, anything like as near perfect as is desired, and if, as a result of the experiments that are being made, the existing difficulties in saving the gold can be overcome, gold dredging on the Fraser will become as firmly established an industry as it is in New Zealand.—Kamloops Sentinel.

A Lady Says:

"PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND Has Been Worth Hundreds of Dollars to Me."

A Happy and Complete Cure After Eighteen Years of Awful Agony.

All weary and disheartened sick people and those who have lost faith in the remedies they have used in the past, because none of them have given indications of cheering results, should now be filled with a strong determination to use the one medicine that cures disease—the new agent of new life that saves hopeless and despairing sufferers after all other agencies and means fail.

The thousands of victims of tormenting neuralgia after reading the testimony of Mrs. G. H. Parker, of Winona, Ont., must see that to avoid a continuance of suffering and possibility of sudden death, it is absolutely necessary to use Paine's Celery Compound, the only remedy that successfully banishes neuralgia and kindred nerve diseases. Mrs. Parker says:

"I have been a great sufferer from neuralgia for nearly 18 years and my sufferings at times were so bad that words fail to describe them. After having tried a host of remedies I was persuaded to try Paine's Celery Compound. I am happy to say that I am now a different woman and completely cured. I can recommend Paine's Celery Compound; it has been worth hundreds of dollars to me."

Output of the Boundary Mines

Steady Increase of Ore Production From Month to Month.

First Ten Months of 1902 Exceeds Last Year by 400,000 Tons.

Phoenix, Nov. 10.—(Special.)—Just as September showed a marked improvement over August in the amount of ore shipped from the mines of the Boundary district, so does the month of October show a similar advance over the figures for September. In fact there is an improvement of nearly or quite 30 per cent. The totals for September, as nearly as could be ascertained, were 43,582, while those for October are 55,410 tons.

In the Boundary there are now six regularly shipping mines, that are sending their product to local smelters continuously. These are the Granby Mines, Phoenix camp; Snowshoe, Phoenix camp; Mother Lodge, Deadwood camp; Sunset, Deadwood camp; B. C. mine, Summit camp; and the Emma, Summit camp. The largest shippers are, of course, the Granby mines and the Mother Lode, both of the companies operating these properties owning their own smelters also.

The Snowshoe and B. C. mine have been sending their ore to the Mother Lode and Sunset smelters, while the Emma has been shipping to the Hall Mines smelter, Nelson, till lately, and now some of its ore also goes to Boundary smelting plants. The Sunset mine ships only to its own smelter at Boundary Falls. Approximately the output of each of these six mines for the month of October was as follows:

	Tons.
Granby Mines	21,855
Mother Lode	20,660
Snowshoe	4,290
B. C. Mine	3,380
Sunset	2,400
Emma	2,825
Total for October	55,410

During the summer all the Boundary smelters were handicapped by the shortage of coal, caused by the miners' strike at the coal mines at Fernie, in East Kootenay. This finally came to an end, however, and since then the amount of ore shipped and treated has steadily been growing each month. At present there are five blast furnaces treating ore in the Boundary smelters, viz. Mother Lode smelter, two; Granby smelter, two; Sunset smelter, one. But for the lack of power at the Granby smelter, caused by the lowest water known in years in the North Fork of Kettle river, that concern would have shown double the output that was made in October. As the Granby people expect to be able to utilize the power from Cascade in a couple of weeks or less, their output for November should show a large increase over October, as they will have four furnaces in blast, instead of two.

Another phase of this Boundary ore tonnage question is interesting. By reference to the subjoined table it will be noticed that in the first ten months of 1902 the Boundary mines shipped over 400,000 tons of ore—or more than was shipped in the entire 12 months of 1901. This record is considered excellent, when the drawbacks to mining this last summer, through no fault of the mines themselves, are considered.

By months the shipments of ore from Boundary mines for the year 1902 thus far were as follows:

Month.	Tons.
January	29,849
February	33,708
March	41,780
April	54,485
May	53,488
June	43,016
July	31,127
August	16,324
September	43,582
October	55,410
Total for ten months	402,514

Marine Iron Works

PEMBROKE ST., VICTORIA, B. C.
ANDREW GRAY, Prop.

ALL KINDS OF MACHINERY MANUFACTURED AND REPAIRED.

Res. Tel 100. Works Tel., 681.

A NICE LOT OF

New Fall and Winter Suitings

In the choicest offerings on the market, just received by

CHARLIE DUNN & CO.,

19 STORE STREET.

Prices cheap; perfect fit guaranteed.

Clearance Sale of Sporting Goods

In order to wind up the estate of the late Henry Short, the business carried on under the name of Henry Short & Sons, at 72 Douglas street, will be opened up on Tuesday, the 21st instant, and all goods will be offered for sale at cost.

This sale will afford sportsmen an excellent chance to stock up at a small outlay.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for Executors

Cordwood and Stovewood

Truck, Dray and General Teaming done.
J. E. PAINTER,
Office—21 Cormorant Street.
Residence, 17 Pine Street, Victoria West.
Telephone 426.

The Hazards

of business suggest the safeguard of life insurance. You may be very successful to-day, but statistics show that over ninety per cent. of business men fail.

Life insurance can be always converted into cash if you have the right policy, and in case of death it provides at once, cash funds for your business and your family.

The Assets of The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York exceed those of any other life insurance company in existence. They are over

$352,000,000

It has paid Policy-holders over

$569,000,000

which is more than any other life insurance company in the world has disbursed.

Write for "Where Shall I Insure?"

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK
RICHARD A. MCCURDY, President.

SHERWOOD GILLESPY, Manager, Seattle, Wash.
HEISTERMAN & CO., Managing Agents, Victoria, B. C.

Your wearing apparel is your home. Your shirt the principal room.

"Tooke" Shirts

make a man love his home. They are so stylish and comfortable.

Look for this name inside the Collar.
For sale at all best dealers.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

Brent Good

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

FOR HEADACHE.
FOR DIZZINESS.
FOR BILIOUSNESS.
FOR TORPID LIVER.
FOR CONSTIPATION.
FOR SALLOW SKIN.
FOR THE COMPLEXION

GENUINE MUST HAVE SIGNATURE.

Price 25 Cents | Purely Vegetable. Brent Good

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

New Vancouver Coal Co

LIMITED.

NANAIMO, B. C.

Samuel M. Robins, Superintendent

Coal Mined by White Labor

New Wellington Coal

Washed Nuts . . $5.00 per ton
Sack or Lump . . $6.00 per ton

Delivered to any part within the City Limits.

KINGHAM & CO.

34 Broad St., corner Trounce Alley.
Wharf—Spratt's Wharf, Store St.
CALL 'PHONE 647

THE MIKADO BAZAAR

All kinds of Silk Handkerchiefs, Mantel Drapes, Chair Tidies, Cushion Tops, Neckties, etc.; Lace Ware, Tortoishell Ware, Antimony Ware, Toys, etc.; Bamboo Furniture made to order cheaper than any other store. First opens on Monday, 27th October.

138 GOVERNMENT ST.
Cor. JOHNSON ST.

That Pain

In the back shooting down the limbs, that pain between the joints of the hips.

They at once tell you that there is something wrong with your health, something which may lay you up one of these dark days. Don't you think it cheaper to cure them now before they make you helpless? Would it not be far better to grasp at a remedy which would give you instant relief, free you from the torture of these excruciating pains which often lay you up for weeks and months.

I don't see how any one can doubt the value of electricity as a builder of vitality and a remover of all pain and evidence of any weakness when right at their own door people are being cured.

I have published the vast number of testimonials that have been sent me. These are the people who are shouting the praises of my wonderful treatment. I will pay $1,000 to any one who can prove that those testimonials which I use are not bona fide; you are at perfect liberty to write them (always enclosing a stamp for the courtesy of a reply); they will tell you what

DR. McLAUGHLIN'S ELECTRIC BELT has done for them.

WHAT SOME OF THEM WILL TELL YOU.

I am well satisfied with my Belt. It has cured me of lameness in my back and hip; in fact, it has done wonders for me. I can give you a sworn testimonial if you desire it. **T. G. SIMMS, Hartland, N.B.**

I have been wearing one of your Belts for about one month. It has toned up my system and made a new man of me. I consider it a wonderful invention.—**D. G. BURGER, Hudson, Q.**

Your Belt is all that you claim for it. I have tested its merits and am cured by its use, in which I had very little faith before using. The varicocele has disappeared.—**JEROME RICHARD, Welland Station.**

I have received great benefit from the use of your Belt. As far as my stomach and back are concerned I have got my money's worth. I am well satisfied with the Belt.—**W. D. HARRIS, Preston, Ont.**

With pleasure I let you know now I feel. I am feeling grand. My headache has gone, and I feel one hundred per cent. better.—**DAVID D. HARRIS, Niagara Falls, Ont.**

CAUTION.—Many write to me that they have used Electric Belts and received no benefit from them. I will explain why. They are purchased from people who have no practical knowledge of electricity.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—I have the only electric appliance in which your case receives special attention of a practical physician. The success of any electric appliance depends upon intelligent application.

FREE—Call and see my Belt and get an idea of what it will do; let me explain it to you. Consultation is Free. For the benefit of those who cannot call I have a nicely illustrated book which every man and woman should read. I will send it closely sealed, **FREE**, upon request. Write to-day.

DR. M. C. McLAUGHLIN

106 Columbia Street Seattle, Washington

TYEE COPPER CO.

SMELTING WORKS AT

LADYSMITH

PREPARED TO PURCHASE ORES. CONVENIENT TO THE ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY OR THE SEA.

CLERMONT LIVINGSTON, MANAGER

NORTHWESTERN SMELTING & REFINING CO.

BUYERS OF

Gold, Silver and Copper Ores, Mattes, Bullion, Furnace And Cyanide Products.

LOCATION OF WORKS

CROFTON, Vancouver Island, B. C

"SEZ I TO THE BOSS."

THE BEST WIPING SOLDER AND LEAD PIPE I EVER USED IS WHAT WE ARE NOW USING. IT'S A PLUMB ER'S CINCH AND IS STAMPED.

CANADA METAL COMPANY, William St., Toronto, Ont

ALBION IRON WORKS CO

LIMITED.

ARE NOW OFFERING THEIR LARGE VARIETY OF

STOVES ...AND... RANGES

AT WHOLESALE PRICES

DON'T BUY AN IMPORTED STOVE WHEN YOU CAN BUY THE HOME-MADE ARTICLE FOR LESS MONEY.

A CALL AT THEIR STORE-ROOMS ON STORE STREET AND PEMBROKE STREET WILL CONVINCE YOU

PLATING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES IS NOW EXECUTED BY COPMETENT WORKMEN

THE HINTON ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED

62 Government Street,

ELECTRIC APPARATUS & IRON SUPPLIES

Selling Agents

CANADIAN GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.
CANADA FOUNDRY COMPANY, LIMITED.

25c. per lb.

PYRAMID TEA IS A SPLENDID TEA, and is equal to Teas that are sold for 40c. You say how can we sell it for 25c. It is easy: it comes direct from plantation in Ceylon, thereby saving middlemen's profits. Try it.

MOWAT & WALLACE, Grocers

THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office, Victoria, Nov. 10—8 p. m.

SYNOPSIS.

The pronounced high barometer area and cold wave, which have prevailed in Northern British Columbia, have moved eastward to Manitoba, while the extensive storm area which has been hovering off the coast for several days, is now spreading inland. This movement will cause a return to mild and rainy weather, with southerly winds throughout the Pacific Slope. The weather is mild in Cariboo, and the temperature is above zero in the Territories.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	42	55
New Westminster	38	54
Kamloops	22	34
Barkerville	10	36
Dawson	—8	8
Calgary	0	8
Winnipeg	—2	16
Portland, Ore.	46	62
San Francisco	54	60

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time) Tuesday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Fresh or strong southerly winds, unsettled and mild, with occasional rains.

Lower Mainland. Moderate or fresh southerly winds on the Gulf, cloudy and mild with rain.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

SUNDAY, NOV. 9.

Deg.		Deg.	
5 a.m.	39	Mean	41
Noon	43	Highest	44
5 p.m.	42	Lowest	37

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m.........12 miles north.
Noon..........12 miles north.
5 p.m.........12 miles northeast.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Rain and melted snow—.03 inch.
Barometer at noon—Observed........29.494
Corrected........29.534

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected......29.46

MONDAY, NOV. 10.

Deg.		Deg.	
5 a.m.	45	Mean	48
Noon	53	Highest	55
5 p.m.	51	Lowest	42

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m.........4 miles north.
Noon..........4 miles southeast.
5 p.m.........8 miles west.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Rain and melted snow—.04 inch.
Sunshine—3 hours, 12 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed........29.432
Corrected........29.464

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected......29.50

—o—

PERSONAL.

The Countess O'Lougan, of London, Eng., is registered at the Dominion, having arrived by Sunday's steamer from Vancouver. The lady, who is traveling for pleasure, is the widow of a German nobleman.

Dan Mills, a pioneer contractor of the province, formerly resident in this city, but now hailing from Vancouver, is on a periodical visit to his old home in Victoria, and is registered at the Dominion. Mr. Mills rejoices in the distinction of having been the builder of the Race Rocks lighthouse in the early history of the province.

P. Herman, the canneryman of Port Essington, arrived from the North yesterday, and is at the Dominion.

J. D. O'Brien of Columbus, Ohio, is staying at the Dominion, being here on a business tour in the interests of the celebrated Peruna remedies.

Rev. J. Irvine, of Vancouver, is at the Dominion.

A. Munroe of Montreal, is at the Driard, having arrived by yesterday's steamer from Vancouver to join J. N. Greenshields.

S. Stanton, of Seattle, nad J. M. Chesney of New York, are at the Queen's.

J. Carmody, of Spokane, who is on his way to Crofton to take a position in the smelter, is at the Queen's.

R. Frayne, of Shawnigan, is at the Queen's.

Registered at the Vernon yesterday were: John W. Ker, James Fowler, Vancouver; A. S. Bowrne, San Francisco; G. R. Cottrelle, Milton; H. M. Daly, Vancouver; T. McB. Young, Nanaimo; E. W. Keeneyside, North American Life, Vancouver; C. J. Turton, Vancouver.

T. V. Murphy, city editor of the Daily Herald, Clinton, Iowa, is registered at the Victoria. Mr. Murphy is making a pleasure tour of the Pacific Coast and is much pleased with Victoria, which he says is the prettiest city he has visited.

Robert Draney, the well known canneryman, accompanied by Mrs. Draney, Miss Draney and Mrs. R. Chambers, left on Saturday for a few months visit to London, Ont.

R. E. Jackson, barrister, of the old firm of Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, is in town again, on business matters connected with his large real estate interests here.

Lt.-Col. A. G. Irvine, C. M. G., warden of the Stony Mountain, Man., penitentiary, spent yesterday in the city. Colonel Irvine is a veteran of the Red River Expedition of 1870, and the Northwest Rebellion of 1885.

—o—

PASSENGERS.

Passengers per steamer City of Puebla from San Francisco: Miss C. Kingsland, R. A. McGee, P. Gore, M. McMullen, T. Powell, F. A. Ryler and wife, G. J. Stein and wife, Mrs. J. J. Ferris.

Passengers per steamer Rosalie from the Sound: David F. Robertson, M. Hershman, Jas. Roland, Mrs. W. J. Macaulay, Miss Law, A. Magneson, P. Storck, A. Munro, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Capt. Trubridge, A. McQueen, Miss Eldridge, Robt. Jamison, Olaf Oleson, S. E. Thompson and wife, F. C. Davidge, W. H. Halbert, T. J. Tanner, A. Nelson, Thos. O'Bannon, C. L. Daniels, Miss Starr, T. A. Esnouf and wife, J. Sargent, R. S. Byrne, Jno. Niles, J. B. Pickard, Stanley White, Mrs. J. S. White, Mrs. C. E. James, E. B. Berkett, Mrs. Cameron, A. Atkinson, O. Peterson, B. O. Erickson, C. T. Hooden, O. Larson, J. Carmody, Dick Case, T. T. Bards, W. H. Stanett, E. Barry, G. A. Grove, S. A. Stenton, C. A. Irving, A. Barstad, Miss Vanette, J. C. Cummitt, L. Gill, C. I. Barnes, M. King, B. Walker, T. V. Murphy, M. Kellogg, J. L. McFadden and wife, Jas. McChesney, Lee Wolfe, Jno. McLain, A. C. Phillips, Mrs. R. C. Hill, F. M. Trodo, J. C. Palmer, A. C. McGuire.

CONSIGNEES.

Consignees per steamer City of Puebla from San Francisco: A. McKeown, A. Stewart, B. C. M. I. Co., C. N. Gowan Brewing Co., C. H. Smith Co., C. Brush, D. H. Ross & Co., E. B. Marvin Co., F. R. Stewart & Co., G. E. Munro & Co., Hamilton Powder Co., W. J. Brady, J. Barnsley & Co., Japanese Furniture Co., J. Sears, Mowat & Wallace, M. R. Smith & Co., Marine Iron Works, P. McQuade, Pope Stationery Co., C. S. Byrne, R. J. Horton, R. Baker & Son, R. Porter & Son, R. P. Rithet & Co., S. J. Pitts, Sluggett & Son, St. Joseph's Hospital, Turner Bros., Victoria Machinery Depot, Victoria Phoenix Brewing Co., W. Marble, Wilson Bros., Watson & Hall, W. Lea & Co., Wells, Fargo & Co., Yeun Lung, B. C. Pres. Co., C. B. Tisdall, Hoy W. Lung, O. Brown Co.

Consignees per steamer Rosalie from the Sound: Lenz & Leiser, E. G. Prior & Co., Fell & Co., Jay & Co., A. R. Johnston & Co., Scott & Peden, R. Baker & Son, Fletcher Bros., J. H. Warner, Lyon Bros., Hinton Electric Co., Mrs. M. A. Farrington, T. M. Brayshaw, C. Sooks, F. A. Shaw, N. W. S & Refining Co., W. J. Anderson, J. Williams, Davies Bros., R. Porter & Son, S. J. Pitts, Hickman Tye Hdw. Co.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

Pemberton & Son, 45 Fort street, are now Mrs. Adams', 78 Douglas street, is the place to leave your orders for all kinds of hand-made laces, braids, rings, and nets, in all the very latest patterns.

* * *

Mowat & Wallace have something really nice in Ceylon tea to offer to the public. It is put up in 1-lb. lead packages, and sells for 25c. each. This tea is said to be equal to any tea sold at 40c. per lb. Try a pound of it and be convinced, and you will save money.

* * *

W. T. Hardaker, auctioneer, announces elsewhere in this paper one of the most important auction sales that has taken place in Victoria for some time, consisting of the valuable household furniture and effects of the late Mr. Thomas Trounce. A reference to the auctioneer's advertisement on 8th page of this paper will give you a partial ideal of the extent and nature of the sale. The sale will be holden on the premises, 63 Menzies street, Tuesday and Wednesday, November 11th and 12th.

—o—

Fernwood Dance.—The Fernwood Young Men's association will give a private social dance in the A. O. U. W. (upstairs) on the evening of November 24. Tickets can be had from the secretary, Mr. Gallup, or members of the association.

—o—

FOR A CERTAINTY I AM CURED.

Mr. James Treneman, butcher, 536 Adelaide street, London, Ont., writes that for two years he was laid up with kidney disease and urinary troubles. He became dropsical and his legs would swell so that he could scarcely go round. He never used any medicine that did him so much good as Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and knows for a certainty that this treatment cured him. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

—o—

The present is an opportune time for this province to assert her rights at Ottawa, and if the shuffle occasioned by the withdrawal of Mr. Tarte can be made to help out British Columbia, Conservatives and Liberals will alike be well pleased. It is just possible that the Hon. Mr. Templeman may come out of the deal with a real official position, and, though we believe that the present administration is destined to be short lived, we would be glad to see a precedent established by the Liberal party in according long-delayed recognition of our claims.—Vernon News (Conservative.)

—o—

Dyspepsia in its worst forms will yield to the use of Carter's Little Nerve Pills, aided by Carter's Little Liver Pills. They not only relieve present distress, but strengthen the stomach and digestive apparatus.

—o—

CLARK'S PORK AND BEANS.

The immense increase in the sale of Clark's Pork and Beans is proof of their quality. W. Clark, Montreal.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

WANTED—A probationer at the Union and Comox Hospital, Cumberland, B. C. Applications to be sent to Sidney, P. O., Box 154. n2

WANTED—An office clerk, 19 years of age or older. Apply in own handwriting, and state salary expected. Address "Clerk," Colonist office. n9

WANTED—Smart boy. Apply Campbell & Co., 31 Fort street. o31

ENGINEERS' LICENSE—Mechanics, Engineers, Firemen, Electricians, etc. 40 page pamphlet containing questions asked by Examining Bd. of Engineers, sent free. Geo. Zeller, Pub., Room 580 18 S. 4th, St. Louis, U. S. A. Established 1870. o26

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—To go to Nelson, B. C., a nurse or mother's help. Good wages. Apply Mrs. DuMoulin, 8 Carberry Gardens. n9

WANTED—Respectable nurse girl. Apply Greenhouse, corner Henry and Esquimalt road. n11

SITUATIONS VACANT.

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen, do our work at home, spare time, $5 to $6 per week. Address with two cent stamp, Box 249, London, Ont. n11

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—Position as coachman, five years' experience. Apply N. G., Colonist office. n11

COACHMAN, experienced, wishes situation. Apply B. C. R., this office. n8

WANTED—Work in office, shop or any kind, where bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, German, French are useful, or manual labor. Apply X. 12, Colonist office. n9

WANTED—Situation as Japanese general servant. Apply P. L. V., Colonist office. n6

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

WORKING HOUSEKEEPER wants position. Wages no object. M. B., Colonist. n9

WANTED—By a woman who thoroughly understands housework, a situation with a family going to Dawson. Address R. P., Colonist office. n9

WANTED—By a young English lady, a position as morning or daily governess to young children. Address Alpha, Colonist office. n4

WANTED—As housekeeper, by a reliable party. Apply L. X., this office. n8

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—To invest money in a good reliable business or go partnership. Apply Business, this office. n9

WANTED—For spot cash, copper, brass, bottles, iron, ropes, sacks, lead, zinc, etc. Eden's Junk Store, 125 Fort street, near Blanchard. n9

WANTED TO PURCHASE—Second hand safe, inside measurement not larger than 26 in. by 20 in. by 25 in. State make and lowest cash price. Apply Safe, Colonist. o23

WANTED—To purchase house and lot, not to exceed $2,000. James Bay preferred. Address R. L., Colonist office. n9

WANTED—A fresh good milking cow. Apply L. Price, Beaumont P. O., Esquimalt road. o1

MISCELLANEOUS.

RUPTURE TREATED SUCCESSFULLY by Farleigh's Patent Appliance. Not a cent charged till you are satisfied. Come and see it. Controlled in B. C. by C. E. Heard, Moody Block, Victoria. o31

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD.

BOARD AND COMFORTABLE ROOM in good locality for lady and gentleman, or two gentlemen. Apply W. R. X., this office. o22

TO RENT—RESIDENCES FURNISHED.

TO RENT—Furnished cottage, good locality, Pandora avenue; new piano; $18. Call Mowat & Wallace Grocery. n11

TO RENT—Furnished large house, in the west end. Six bedrooms, furnace and all modern conveniences. Apply to 978 Broughton street, Vancouver, B. C. n11

TO LET—Comfortably furnished cottage, all modern conveniences; centrally located. Apply Heisterman & Co. n7

TO LET—Furnished cottage. Apply 5 Centre road, city. n5

FOR RENT—Yearly lease two cottages, partly furnished, near Foul Bay beach. Apply Thos. Shotbolt, Pioneer Druggist, 59 Johnson street. n8

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS.

TO LET—Housekeeping rooms. 54 Pandora street. n8

TO LET—Furnished rooms with or without breakfast, on car line, near Beacon Hill. All modern conveniences. F. G. Colonist office. n6

TO LET—Comfortably furnished front bedroom, central; use of telephone. Apply "H.", Colonist.

TO LET—Furnished rooms for gentleman or housekeeping suite. Apply 46 Henry St. o28

TO RENT—OFFICES.

OFFICES IN BOARD OF TRADE BUILDING—Modern conveniences, heat and vaults, low rents; also large hall. Apply Secretary. n7

TO RENT—FARMS.

A GOOD FARM at Nicola and one at Alberni, can be rented on reasonable terms. For particulars, apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

TO RENT—Good pasture for horses. Inquire 236 Yates Street. Telephone 847.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—100 tons of good island potatoes. Apply Tim Kee, 7 Cormorant street. n11

FOR SALE—A new Humber moter bicycle, 1902 pattern, with spare parts. P. O. Box A53. n11

GLAD TIDINGS FOR SALE for what she will bring, as she lies without boiler or engines in Shoosharty Bay. Address Rev. R. Whittington, Vancouver. n9

FOR SALE—Three grade Jerseys. One freshly calved. Apply to E. W. Beale, Cadboro Bay. n6

FOR SALE—Good cockerels and pullets, in Buff Orpingtons, Barred and White Rocks. Arthur Stewart, Mt. Tolmie P. O. North Dairy Farm. o28

FOR SALE—Two 7x9 coupled engines, with reversing gear, on heavy iron frame. One 30 H. P. boiler; one 10x28 surfacer; all nearly new and in good condition. Apply G. F. J., P. O. Box 298, city. o24

FOR SALE—Eight horse power upright steam boiler. Good condition. Special bargain. Address "Boiler," Box 250, Victoria, B. C. o22

FOR SALE—Heavy horses, weighing 1400 pounds. Apply to Frank Campbell, tobacconist.

FOR SALE—INDIAN CURIOS.

FOR SALE—Indian curios and thousands of Indian baskets, cheap, from the Indian trader, H. Stadthagen, 79 Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C. Mr. Stadthagen trades direct with the Indians and sells their goods at half the prices you pay elsewhere. Over 5,000 Indian baskets in stock. Note the address, 79 Johnson St. H. Stadthagen, the Indian trader.

ENTERTAINMENT.

GRAND CONCERT—To be given in the Metropolitan Methodist Sunday School Room, under the auspices of the Excelsior League, on Wednesday, November 12th, 1902, at 8 p. m. Club swinging, instrumental and vocal music, readings and recitations, etc. The League will be assisted by Mme. Laird and some of the best talent in the city. Admission 15c. n9

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—In dressing room at Cinderella ball, a boys' shoe. Anyone taking by mistake please return to Porter's butcher store, Johnson street. n11

LOST—A short black fur, on Thursday afternoon between the post office and the Colonist. Apply at this office. n8

FOUND—A Gordon setter bitch. Apply night watchman Victoria Transfer Co., after 8 p. m. Owner can have same by paying expenses. n6

LOST—A brown boa, between Cook and Charles St., on Fort St. Finder please leave at this office. n6

PERSONAL.

INDEPENDENTLY WEALTHY LADY, charming personality, sweet disposition, being lonely, will marry for love and companionship. Address "Gladys," No. 917 Holland Bldg., St. Louis, Mo. n11

IF THE PERSON who is known to have taken a new silk umbrella from 42 Humboldt street, on the 1st inst., does not return it to the same place within three days will be prosecuted. n9

FOR ADOPTION—Baby boy, aged two months. For particulars apply to 108 Cormorant street. n9

DRESSMAKING.

DRESSES AND BLOUSES stylishly made at moderate prices. No. 67 Kane Street.

DANCING CLASS.

DANCING CLASS—Mrs. F. W. Lester's dancing classes meet weekly as follows: Adult beginners' class, Tuesday eve.; advanced class, Wednesday eve.; social, Friday eve. Childrens' class, Saturday afternoon in A. O. U. W. Hall (upstairs.) Particular attention given to gliding waltz and correct two-step. o24

PALMISTRY.

HERE AT LAST—The Mahatma from India, acknowledged by the profession, press and public the greatest living palmist, psychic, life reader. Teaches his profession to others. Tell you what you want to know at Mason House, 60 Fort street, Victoria. n4

PHRENOLOGY.

MISS BEST—Phrenologist and Palmist; gold medallist. No. 80 Pandora street. Office Hours, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m..

EDUCATIONAL.

SCHOOL OF NEEDLEWORK—Room 3 Moody Block, Yates Street. Miss Mesher. Classes for children in plain sewing, and fancy work on Saturdays. A fine assortment of braids for lace-making. The latest designs always on hand.

DAY SCHOOL—Miss G. O. Fox, 36 Mason Street. Miss Fox, teacher of piano, same address.

FINE ARTS, scientific drawing and all art work. Martindale, art master. Studio, 50½ Government Street.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL—15 Broad Street (upstairs). E. A. Macmillan, principal. Individual instruction in shorthand, typewriting and bookkeeping.

FOR SALE—PROPERTY.

FOR SALE—Eight roomed house, Victoria West, in splendid condition, very large lot fruit trees, hot and cold water, very easy instalments. Price $1,425. Apply M. M., Colonist office. n2

ABOUT seven acres, four miles from city, all under cultivation; splendid cottage, barn and outhouses; 75 fruit trees; overflowing spring. Price, $2,500 cash, or can be had on terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

FOR SALE — Three cheap and desirable improved small farms of 40 to 50 acres each (adjoining). Price, $18 to $40 per acre. Easy terms. Apply to W. Grimmer, West Pender Island, B. C.

FULL-SIZED CORNER LOT, with modern cottage, containing five rooms and bathroom, with hot and cold water; electric lighting; good stable; price moderate; can be purchased by instalment. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

SUBURBAN RESIDENCES.

SUBURBAN RESIDENCES—A nice choice. Call and see our list. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

FOR SALE—TIMBER LIMITS.

FOR SALE—300 acres of first-class fir, on Cowichan Lake, averaging 30,000 feet per acre; conveniently located, and can be logged very cheaply; crown-granted. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

TO RENT—WAREHOUSE.

TO LET — Warehouse on Wharf Street, 25x70, A1 location and in good condition; rent, $25. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

FOR SALE—RESIDENCES.

FOR SALE or TO RENT—Lime kiln; 60 or 220 acres with lime kiln, ready for occupation, buildings, tools, etc.; liberal terms can be arranged; convenient to railway. Apply to J. W. Wriglesworth or to B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

10-ROOMED MODERN DWELLING, beautifully situated, with half an acre of ground; one of the best locations in the city; $6,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

CENTRALLY LOCATED.

$2100—6 roomed cottage, hot and cold water; garden with fruit trees. One of the best locations in the city. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government street. n7

$2,100—Four cottages on Cook street, always rented; cheap at this figure. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,500—Two-story house, seven rooms; nice garden and good neighborhood. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$3,000 — Modern seven-room dwelling, in first-class shape, nice garden and good neighborhood. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,400—Three cottages at this price, situate on North Park Street, five rooms each, with bath; well located and always rented at a good figure. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,500 —Six-room cottage, very central, with sewer connections, etc. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,100—Seven-roomed cottage, with sewer connections, on car line and close to centre of town. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$900—Five-roomed cottage, and lot 40x150; must be sold at an early date. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$950—Corner lot and five-room cottage at Spring Ridge; must be sold immediately. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,200 will purchase three houses, centrally located (only 10 minutes from post office), always rented at a good figure; cheap, in order to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,400—Seven-roomed two story dwelling, lot 47x120; sewer connections, etc. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$5,500—Handsome residence, modern, with an acre of ground, on Rockland Avenue; grand view. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$900—Good two-story dwelling, very central and convenient to car. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$4,750—Beautifully situated seven-roomed house, with three full-sized lots, stable, etc.; front and back entrance; situate on Fort Street. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$800—Corner lot and two five-roomed cottages ($800 each); will be sold on very easy terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

EAST END.

$1300—A1 cottage, stone foundation, 6 rooms hot and cold water, bath, etc. A bargain. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.

$1,300—Cottage of six rooms; one acre, all cleared and planted with small fruits; barns, chicken houses, etc; terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,500 — New six-room cottage, with four lots, outbuildings, etc.; a bargain. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,800 — Five roomed cottage, good brick foundation, with two full-sized lots and outbuildings; cheap. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street

JAMES BAY.

$4,000—Very fine modern bungalow, with excellent view. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,100—Modern cottage, six rooms, full-sized lot; good locality. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$3,600 — Handsome modern residence and large water-lot, only ten minutes from post office; well located and in good order. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,600—Very good five-roomed cottage, bath, etc.; good garden; lot 50x120 feet, in good condition. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$850—A choice of two cottages, almost new, five rooms each, rented at $9 per month. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$3,600 — Modern eight-room dwelling on Dallas Road, with two full-sized lots, tennis court, etc.; very cheap. Apply B.C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$3,500 will purchase four houses, six rooms each, with bath and sewer connections. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,200—Good six-room cottage near Dallas Road; nice view of the Straits; modern conveniences. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,500—Seven-room cottage and large lot, on Dallas road. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

1 CENT WORD ISSUE — No Advertisement Inserted For Less Than 25c. — 1 CENT WORD ISSUE

FOR SALE—RESIDENCES.

$1,200 — Cottage, five rooms, bath, etc.; full-sized lot, facing south; terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,000 will purchase four houses, always rented; must be sold to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$500—Four houses at this price; must be sold to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$525 — Four-room cottage, well located. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$3,600 — Modern eight-room dwelling, with two full-sized lots, tennis court, beautiful view. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,500—Water lot and dwelling on Belleville Street. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

WEST END.

$2,000—About half an acre of ground, six-roomed house on water-front, good garden. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,700—Two lots, good cottage and stable, garden and orchard. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

GOOD ten-room modern dwelling, half acre of land; will be sold at a bargain. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,800—Esquimalt Road — Seven-room modern cottage; electric light; one acre of ground, lawn and orchard. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,500 will purchase four cottages, five rooms each, all rented, with an acre of ground. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,000—Six-room cottage, well situated, one acre of ground; stable, outhouses and orchard; a bargain. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

THE ARM — Seven-room modern dwelling, well situated; over two acres of land; large frontage on road and water; $3,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,500—Corner lot and good cottage, six rooms; bath, etc.; garden. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

NORTH END.

$600—Two lots, good cottage, barns, etc.; planted with fruit trees. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,100—Two lots on corner, with seven-room house, well situated, on Bay Street. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$2,500—Large two-story dwelling, with 12 rooms; well located and particularly cheap. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

SOUTH WARD.

$950—Six-roomed house, garden, with fruit trees, chicken houses, etc. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

TWO LOTS on main thoroughfare, James Bay, can have sewer connection, $700 each. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.

ONE ACRE, well located, $1200. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.

GORGE ROAD—Many nice lots within 5 minutes walk of car line, from $250 upward. Cheap in order to effect immediate sales. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St.

FOR SALE—SPECIAL BARGAIN—Two lots in Spring Ridge, (one on corner), $350 for the two. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St.

$850—Three lots at this price, well located for factory purposes; must be sold to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,500—Five-room cottage, in good repair; three-quarters of an acre in fruit. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

SIX LOTS—Only five minutes from the centre of the city, 40x165, all cleared and ready for building upon. Average price, $450 each. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government St.

ESQUIMALT ROAD—Two acres of ground opposite the Canteen. Open to offer. Must be sold at an early date. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.

ONE ACRE in the North End, all cleared; well situated; open to offer. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$300 — Good lot on Johnson Street, facing south. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

ESQUIMALT ROAD — One acre, running through to old Esquimalt Road, well located; $800. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

OAK BAY—A few good water lots left. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

FORT STREET — Part of the Heywood Estate, just above Cook Street; fine building sites; prices reasonable; easy terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$200—A beautiful lot on Craigflower Road, near Gorge; faces south; $200. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

HEYWOOD ESTATE — The prices of the lots running from Fort Street to Belcher Street have just been very materially reduced, and we are now prepared to offer lots 55x165 for $900. This is one of the best residential localities in the city, and lots at this price are a bargain. We are also offering the property near the Fountain at greatly reduced prices. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$500—Two lots in James Bay, ten minutes from post office, $500 each. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$700—Very nice full-sized lot on Humboldt Street, near Park Road, facing south. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$650—Lot on Vancouver Street, near Richardson; must be sold to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

FOR SALE—Beautiful building site, commanding fine view of the Straits (three lots), for $1,200. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

JAMES BAY—Several nice building lots in a good locality, from $400 upwards. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$3,200—Full-sized lot on Yates Street, close to Douglas; suitable for any business. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

VICTORIA WEST—Several good lots, from $200 to $600 each. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

CHEAP BUSINESS LOTS.

BUSINESS LOTS—A number of good lots, centrally located, cheap. Call and see our list. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$500 — Six lots in the heart of the city, 40x160 each. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,000—Two large lots at this price, close to Douglas Street; suitable for business or residences; very cheap. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$500—For 160 acres of good land on Salt Spring Island (large portion alder bottom); small buildings. Well located. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. n4

160 ACRES—Metchosin District, $500. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.

80 ACRES—Metchosin District, $150. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.

60 ACRES—Cordova Bay, water frontage; $60 per acre. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

FOR SALE—FARM LANDS

METCHOSIN DISTRICT — 350 acres, 90 under cultivation; A1 barns, house, etc.; orchards, very good land; easy distance of Victoria; can also arrange to buy live stock, improvements, etc. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

50 ACRES, four miles from the city, partly under cultivation; soil, rich black loam; price, $50 per acre. This is part of one of the best farms in the district. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

LARGE TRACTS of meadow land for sale at low prices, situate on the Matsqui and Sumas prairies. Also an A1 farm on the Delta; will subdivide. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

KAMLOOPS DISTRICT — 900 acres, 180 cultivated, one half acre orchard; good buildings; three creeks; range for cattle; suitable for fruit; flag station. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

SOMENOS—50 acres, partly under cultivation, balance bench and swamp; modern five-room dwelling house, well finished and partly furnished; large barn and stables, dairy sheds, chicken houses, etc.; $2,500. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

25 ACRES, four miles from the city, partly under cultivation; soil, rich black loam; price, $50 per acre. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

KAMLOOPS DISTRICT—360 acres, twelve miles from Kamloops; 150 acres cultivated, 50 acres rich bottom land, balance pasture; good buildings; has frontage on lake; two streams of running water; stage twice weekly. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

NORTH SAANICH—85 acres, partly under cultivation; $1,900. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

CHEAP ACREAGE—Over 2,000 acres on Pender Island, nine miles from Sidney Station. Steamer runs in connection with V. & S. Railway. An abundance of excellent timber. Average price per acre, $2. This is the cheapest property on the market. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

OVER 4,000 acres of crown grant lands on Vancouver Island, chiefly spruce and fir, at a very reasonable price. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

LAKE HILL ESTATE—Ten acres of good land, open to offer; anything reasonable will be submitted. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

LAKE DISTRICT — Seven acres, partly under cultivation, with cottage, $750. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$3,700—22¼ acres, seven miles from Victoria; 14 acres under cultivation (3 in orchard of 200 bearing trees); six-room cottage, with bath, etc.; barns and outhouses, all fenced. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$17,000—Over 500 acres, within six miles of Victoria; 100 acres under cultivation; many good buildings, orchards, streams, etc.; liberal terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

STRAWBERRY VALE PARK, 3¼ miles from city, in blocks of five acres each; cheap, and very easy terms; from $40 to $100 per acre. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

LAKE DISTRICT—About 50 acres, partly slashed, adjoining a beautiful farm; very good soil and level ground; cheap. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

THE ARM—1¼ acres, cleared, waterfront; fine site for bungalow; electric light and water pipes running past premises; whole amount of purchase money may remain on mortgage at 6 per cent.; $3,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

METCHOSIN—A beautiful farm, excellent situation, large acreage; $10,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

HIGHLAND DISTRICT—Three farms with buildings, etc. — two at $1,600, one at $3,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

ROSS BAY — Nine acres, good soil and ready for cultivation; fine site; commands view of Straits; cheap. Apply 45 Government Street.

60 ACRES—Cadboro Bay, water frontage; $60 per acre. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,550 — 5¼ acres, all under cultivation; seven-room house, barns, etc.; only three miles from city. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

JAMES ISLAND—Off Saanich (one mile); 200 acres — 75 under cultivation, 100 cleared, balance good land; lots of good water; five-room house, barns, etc.; can also arrange to buy live stock, steam launch, boats, etc.; plenty of fruit trees of all description; easy terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

SALT SPRING ISLAND—108 acres, water frontage; good six-room modern dwelling, barns out-houses, etc.; 35 acres under cultivation; orchard of 250 trees; balance all good land, with heavy timber cut; $3,500. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

MANY OTHER FARMS in all parts of the province, too extensive for publication. Call and get particulars. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$600—160 acres, 25 swamp, balance timber, has been partly cleared; 20 miles from Victoria. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

SOOKE—679 acres and lake, $3,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

$1,000 — Five acres, all under cultivation; houses, barns, etc.; only 3¼ miles from city; soil, rich black loam; can also buy acreage of equal quality. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

FOR SALE—HOTELS.

HOTELS FOR SALE—Call and see our list. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

LIVERY AND TRANSFERS.

VICTORIA TRUCK & DRAY CO.—Telephone 13.

FOR SALE—TIMBER LIMITS.

LARGE TRACTS of timber land, both crown-granted and leasehold; cedar, spruce, fir and other woods. For particulars apply to B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL BUTCHERS.

L. GOODACRE—Contractor to Royal Navy and Dominion Government. Telephone 32. Corner Johnson and Government Streets.

NOVELTY WORKS.

L. HAFER, General Machinist — No. 159 Government Street.

PAINTING AND PAPERING, ETC.

E. ARMAN LEWIS, 29 Pioneer street. Estimates furnished. Tel. 920A. n8

PLUMBERS, ETC.

C. M. COOKSON — 97 Johnson Street. Sanitary plumbing; jobbing and out-of-town orders a specialty. Victoria agent for the famous Gurney and Oxford stoves and ranges. Telephone 674.

STEAM DYE WORKS.

PAISLEY DYE WORKS — Tel. 410. The old reliable; established 1885. No. 114½ Yates Street.

BRITISH COLUMBIA—Tel. 200. Largest established; country orders solicited. No. 141 Yates Street.

SCAVENGERS.

MRS. ED. LINES — General scavenger; yards, etc., cleaned. Orders promptly attended to. Telephone 847. House, 236 Yates Street.

PETER HANSEN, City Scavenger. Teamster and wood dealer; building sand and gravel for sale. Address, 49 Discovery Street. Telephone 184.

COFFEE AND SPICE MILLS.

STEMLER & EARLE — Coffee, spices, mustard and baking powders. Pembroke Street, near Government.

VICTORIA COFFEE & SPICE MILLS—Office and mills, 148 Government Street. A. J. Morley, proprietor.

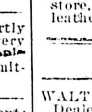
FEATHER RENOVATORY.

SANITARY FEATHER RENOVATORY—Feather pillows and cushions renovated; mattresses, awnings, upholstering and carpet cleaning. Corner Fort and Blanchard Streets, Victoria, B. C. Deacon & Hurd, proprietors.

POTTERYWARE, ETC.

FLOWER POTS, SEWER PIPE, ETC.—B. C. Pottery Co., Limited, corner Broad and Pandora Streets, Victoria.

LODGES AND SOCIETIES.



L. O. L. 1426 meets in Sir William Wallace Hall, second Monday in each month. S. Creech, master: F. Allett, Secretary.

VICTORIA CAMP No. 52, C. O. W. O. W.—Meets in A. O. U. W. Hall first and third Fridays. Visiting sovereigns welcome. W. Jackson, clerk.

DRAYMEN.

JOSEPH HEANEY—Office, 55 Wharf St. Telephone 171.

PHOTOGRAPHERS.

PHOTOGRAPHIC SUPPLIES — R. Maynard, 41 Pandora Street. All kinds of photographic material for amateurs and professionals. Kodaks, pocoes, koronas, premos, etc. Same block, Mrs. R. Maynard's art studio. Views of British Columbia and Alaska for sale.

Same Block — Maynard's shoe and finding store, 41 Pandora Street. Boots, shoes, leather and shoe findings. 'Phone 360b.

HARDWARE.

WALTER S. FRASER & CO., LIMITED—Dealers in hardware, iron, pipe, fittings, and brass goods. Wharf Street, Victoria.

WATSON & McGREGOR — Hardware, stoves, ranges and household furnishings; plumbing and gasfitting. No. 99 Johnson Street. Telephone 745.

E. G. PRIOR & CO.—Hardware and agricultural implements. Corner of Johnson and Government Streets.

HICKMAN-TYE HARDWARE CO., LTD. —Importers of iron, steel, hardware, pipe-fittings, cutlery, etc. Mining and milling supplies a specialty.

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

MOORE & WHITTINGTON — 159 Yates Street. Estimates given; job work, etc. Telephone 750a.

THOMAS CATTERALL—16 Broad Street. Alterations, office fittings, wharves repaired, etc. Telephone 820.

JOHN LISTER — Carpenter, builder and ship - joiner; house repairs promptly attended to; stair-building a specialty. No. 117 Fort Street.

HOTEL DIRECTORY

VICTORIA.

OSBORNE HOUSE — Corner Pandora and Blanchard Streets. Room and board, $5 per week; furnished rooms from $1 up; five single-meal tickets, $1; home cooking. Large dry stone cellar to rent. Mrs. Phil. H. Smith, proprietress.

THE DOMINION — Victoria, B. C. Only modern first-class hotel in the city. Rates, $1.50 per day and upwards. S. Jones, proprietor.

GRAND PACIFIC HOTEL—Corner Johnson and Store Streets. Bar supplied with best brands of wines, liquors and cigars. Good rooms in connection. Open day and night. Lorenzo Reda, proprietor.

VANCOUVER.

STRAND HOTEL—European or American plan. Rates, $2 a day; good rooms. First-class cafe in connection.

BADMINTON—Popular resort for tourists; $2 and up. J. G. Clarke, proprietor.

HOTEL LELAND — Corner Granville and Hastings Streets; one block from depot and steamboat wharves: $2 a day.

THE COMMERCIAL—Turkish baths; best $2-a-day house in the city. Prescott & Heywood, proprietors.

FOR SALE.

An 85 acre Farm about 5 miles from town. This is a splendid place and can be had at a very cheap figure.

For further particulars apply to

PEMBERTON & SON, 45 Fort Street

The Big Auction on the Trounce Estate Starts At 2 p.m. Sharp

TO-DAY

Hardaker AUCTIONEER

PRELIMINARY

I am instructed by the Trustees of the Estate of the late Thos. Trounce, to offer for sale at Puble Auction on the premises.

Thursday, Nov. 20 at 11 a. m.

Valuable and Improved James Bay PROPERTY.

140 feet on Superior street, 140 feet on Michigan street, running through from Superior street to Michigan street, with that well-built, two-story

STONE DWELLING

Containing 11 Rooms and Bathroom and Pantries.

Hardaker AUCTIONEER

Clara—"Don't you think it is cruel to wear birds on hats?" Maud—"Worse than that—it's unfashionable."—Brooklyn Life.

THE STRAND HOTEL. (Vancouver.)

Has been remodelled. All newly furnished, one block from depot. European and American plan. Prices moderate. J. S. Wood, proprietor.

AUCTION

2 P. M., TUESDAY, NOV. 11.

Furniture and Crockery.

Very Fine Upright Show Case, very suitable for Xmas goods; Cottage Piano; Fine Rugs; Ladies' Sample Waterproofs; Iron and Wooden Beds, all sizes; Mattresses galore; Splendid Old Weight Clock in Mahogany; 2 Nice Sewing Machines; Letter Press; 2 Pairs Portiers; Refrigerator; New Blankets; Pictures; Buggies and Go-carts; Books; Range, with water coil; Harmonium; Kitchen Necessaries; Several Very Good Gas Chandeliers, with globes; and a crate of New Crockery, well assorted, etc.

Tel. 294. Terms cash.

W. JONES, Dominion Government Auctioneer.

Kyuquots Mourn For Their Dead

Hope at Last Abandoned For Indians Who Perished on Hatzic.

And Tribe at West Coast Village Pay Last Honors to Memory.

After waiting—hoping against hope—that their drowned tilikums would come back, the Kyuquots have at last given way to sorrow because of the loss of the schooner Hatzic with all on board, including 24 tribesmen of the Kyuquots. All summer the women have wailed, and the people have had a "sick tum-tum" (a sad heart), but some whispered a word of hope, and they waited. Now, with the return of the two schooners to Kyuquot from the Behring sea, which shipped their crews at Kyupuot, the last faint hopes that the Indians will ever return have been abandoned, for the Indians are dead, and the seas have long since been singing the requiems over their remains.

When the schooners Arietis and Penelope returned to the West Coast village—the largest on the coast—two weeks ago, the tribesmen crowded around the vessels in their canoes as soon as the craft sailed into the harbor from the sea, and inquired if any news had been heard of the missing Hatzic. The schooners had brought no news. Worse, the Penelope had lost a canoe with two Kynquot Indians in it. Then the hopes were abandoned.

That night the women wailed. The illahees resounded with sorrowful cries, and on the following morning a procession of canoes went over to the point where the dead are buried, where the red and white mourning streamers denote many graves, and spread there the property of the missing sealers.

In a long line along the point the siwashes spread an arrangement of bureaus, mirrored sideboards, sewing machines, beds and varied articles of furniture from the houses of the missing sealers. Nearly two thousand blankets were piled up along the point, and left there, exposed to the weather—a potlatch to the lost sealers. There, too, they hauled up five or six large sealing canoes, each being broken to prevent its being stolen and launched, and in these canoes the Indians built figures representative of the sealers, standing with spear in hand, ready to kill a seal, or sitting, paddling towards the "holluschickies," as did the missing men of the Hatzic, before they were swallowed up by the sea. The carvers made totems for the dead—in fact the Kyuquots did great posthumous honor to their missing tribesmen, who were lost when the schooner Hatzic found a resting place beneath the waves, she long sailed, first as the Louis Olsen, then the Dolphin, and lastly as the Hatzic.

After the women had wailed for hours while the men piled up the belongings of the dead, and the gifts of the tribe, in honor of their memory, the tribespeople returned to their illahees, and night after night they wailed—and were still mourning when the sealing schooners left that port for Victoria a few days ago. Contrary to their usual custom, the Ahousahts have not yet destroyed the houses of the missing men. In the past it has been their custom, not only to destroy the property of the lost men, but also to burn their lodges. At many Coast villages canoes may still be seen with bleached skeletons of dead tribesmen, and their weather-worn effects piled up in the canoes, in which a hole had been made to prevent any irreverent thief from stealing them.

At Nootka, on the furthermost point facing the sea—Maquinna Point—two sewing machines have been standing for two or three years fronting a massive totem, an eagle about twenty feet in height, standing on a huge wooden whale, about fifteen feet long, and costly blankets have also been there, exposed to the weather, and no tribesmen have ever thought of removing them. And so it is at the other villages on the West Coast. At Ahousaht the household effects of a dead chief may be seen piled up in a large canoe amidst the trees at the side of the village.

At one of the Coast villages a short time since a peculiar incident happened in connection with this custom of destroying property as a mark of respect to the tribal dead. An Indian and his fellow-hunter had been lost from a sealing schooner in the Behring sea, and the schooner returned and reported that he was missing. His klootchman—woman—took a fine Greener gun, which the Indian had bought in Victoria with his previous season's earnings, for the winter hunting, and, breaking it, she had laid it in the burying ground, with a red and white flag—the mourning colors. She had also taken a sewing machine and an organ, which ha had bought for her with the proceeds of his hunting, and destroyed them at the burial ground. Several months afterwards the missing Indian, who had been picked up by another schooner and carried away, returned home. When he learned how his klootchman had paid respect to his memory by destroying his Greener gun, her sewing machine and organ, he nearly beat her to death.

Col. McCalmont, who moved the reply to the speech from the throne, was, as everybody knows, a dashing but impecunious young cavalry officer, and one fine morning woke up to find himself the owner of three millions of money. When the war started and Col. McCalmont spoke of going out as a volunteer—as he afterwards did—Sir Henry de Bathe thought it his duty to remonstrate with his son-in-law; whereupon the son-in-law, for once, lost his temper, and turned almost fiercely on his senior. Sir Henry's wit and good humor, were equal to the occasion. "Look here," he said, "if you don't be more respectful to me, I'll cut you off with a shilling." Whereupon good humor was restored all round.

"She seems to have lost her head over that young man." "Yes, I saw it on his shoulder."—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Through Welsh Spectacles

Correspondent of Western Mail Cardiff Gives Impressions of B. C.

Holds Peculiar Views On the Chinese and Japanese Labor Question.

The following letter by D. Lleufer Thomas, B. A. L., appears in the Western Mail, Cardiff, Wales, of October 4:

What California is to the United States, the province of British Columbia is to Canada. With equal truth it may be said that what San Francisco is to California, the city of Vancouver must some day be to the Western-most province of the great Dominion. It is the Western terminus of the great transcontinental line of the Canadian Pacific Railway company, known to everyone as the C. P. R., which stretches right across the continent from the Atlantic to the Pacific. It is the home port of the same company's "Empress" line of mail steamers plying to China and Japan, and of another local line running to Alaska and the Northern gold-fields of the Yukon. It is also the Eastern terminus of the Canadian-Australian line to New Zealand and Australia. Geographically, no town is better situated to become a commercial metropolis. It is a meeting-place between the Old World and the New, between East and West—everything seems to show that it is destined to become the chief port of the North Pacific, a gateway through which much of the merchandise of the Orient will reach the Western world in future. It is the only Mainland port in North America where Chinese are allowed to land, for their immigration into the United States has been prohibited for some years past. The Japanese are also here in goodly numbers, and as we jostled against these Mongolians we realized that the Far East was not so very remote from us here. On this Pacific Coast Japan seemed, so to speak, seductively to beckon us to cross over, for if we but embarked on the Empress of India, which lay in port, she would bring us in 10 days to Yokohama. She was, in fact, taking on board yellow-skinned Chinese troops from Wei-Hai-Wei and Hongkong, and swarthy Sikhs from India, who had been to London for the Coronation, and were now returning to their respective homes. Here was a new route to India which students of our Imperial resources ought to cultivate. But the Far East was not for us; he had all but come to the end of our Westward journey. Not quite it is true, for on our arrival at Vancouver we found awaiting us a C. P. R. steamer to take us across Georgia Bay—a five hours' run—to Victoria, the capital of British Columbia, and chief town of Vancouver Island.

As to our journey across the continent, between Montreal and Vancouver, I do not propose giving any detailed account. It was full of those fresh sensations which are produced by a first visit to a new country, and in Canada these were enhanced by the unique character of the scenery. Suffice it to say, for the sake of those who know something of the geography of the country (I was myself deplorably ignorant of it), that from Montreal we went by train to Toronto, and thence to Owen Sound, where we took one of the C. P. R. boats for Fort William—a delightful trip of some 20 hours across Georgian Bay—a northern arm of Lake Huron—with its 10,000 isles, through the canal of Sault Sainte Marie, or "Soo," as this fast-growing Chicago of Canada is generally known, and on through Lake Superior, on which we lost sight of land for many hours.

After the splendid waterways of the great St. Lawrence and the lakes—and how valuable, commercially, they are may be judged from the fact that cargoes can be sent all the way to Europe without transshipment from Fort William, which is almost halfway across the continent, and that more shipping passes through the "Soo" canals than through that of Suez—we had next to traverse the vast ocean-like, treeless prairie of Manitoba, happily covered in August with heavy crops of fast-ripening grain; and then on to the higher levels of the Northwest Territories, with their extensive ranches and cattle on a thousand hills, till at last, at Calgary, we came in sight of the Rocky Mountains in all their majesty and grandeur. On and on the railway line threaded its way, following river courses by loops and zig-zag tracks under the shadow of fantastic precipices, with ever in view a magnificent panorama of jagged peaks or castellated mountains of sheer rock bejewelled with glacier and clad with nether garments of spruce and pine. Veritably a dozen Switzerlands rolled into one, or one might not inappropriately describe it as a sea of mountains succeeding that sea of plains which we had just come through. Scenic and engineering surprises followed one another thick and fast, culminating where the train crept along shelves and ledges of rock half-way up a precipitous mountain in the "Kicking Horse" Pass, and the Fraser River Canyon, with the angry torrent of the river madly swirling along in the deep-cut gorges of granite below us, till at last, on descending the Pacific slopes, we felt relieved at having come safely out of so many perilous and nerve-straining situations. Every comfort which has been devised for long-distance train-traveling was ours. We could walk from one end of the train to the other, and during the journey through the mountains an open observation car was put on from which we could obtain an uninterrupted view of the many meanderings of our course. Moreover, stoppages were made at certain places for refreshments, and the meals which we partook of at the Canadian Pacific railway chalets at Stephen, at Glacier (under the shadow of the great glacier), and at North Bend were even better than anything we had had at the palatial hotels of Quebec and Montreal.

The passage from Vancouver to Victoria was a soothing, restful sequel to our long journey. Through a perfect maze of well-wooded islands "The Charmer" threaded her way over the placed and almost glassy waters of the Gulf of Georgia—not to be confused, of course, with the Georgian Bay of Lake Huron. As we sped along we felt as if we were sailing to the Islands of the Blest, some new Hesperides, famed, no doubt, in long-lost Indian legends. As we neared our destination Victoria and its suburbs were seen in the near distance, while beyond it, but separated by a few miles of sea, stood out clearly in the background the unbroken range of the Olympian mountains in the State of Washington, snow-capped with dark-blue pine-clad slopes, fit homes for the primeval gods who preside over the destinies of the Pacific Coast. "See Naples and die!" I would rather say "See the Gulf of Georgia and the Straits of Fuca and live! for life will have a fuller and richer meaning after gazing on their beauties." Surely, the tide of those who do the "grand tour" ought to be turned to Canada to make acquaintance with its magnificent lakes and rivers, to see the incomparable mountains of British Columbia, and to admire the beauty of Nature, unspoilt by man, on the marvelous lock-like sea which bathes its wonderful Coast with its almost countless islands.

As for the city of Victoria it is an ideal place of residence, and no wonder it was chosen to be the capital of the province though not situated on the Mainland. It is certain that so far during our trip we have met no better hosts. Among the splendid hospitality tendered to us everywhere along our route that of Quebec in the East and of Victoria in the extreme West stands out pre-eminently. Despite the presence of Orientals in great numbers there is a markedly English air about the city. Being the seat of government, it has something of a leisured class, while its society receives important contributions from the garrison just outside the town and the Naval station at Esquimalt, some four miles away. Most of the menial labor is performed by Orientals. The Chinese make the best of domestic servants, being in fact excellent cooks. Vegetable gardening is almost entirely in their hands to the great benefit of the inhabitants, who, previous to the arrival of John Chinaman, suffered much from the dearness and scarcity of vegetables. Here, too, as well as throughout all British Columbia, and even in most of the towns of the Northwest Territories, most of the laundry work is done by Chinese. They are also employed largely in railway work, in salmon canning (which is a great industry on the Mainland Coast), as dock laborers, and, in fact, in almost every conceivable form of manual work, with the exception of mining (from which they are excluded by a strong public opinion) and of fishing, for which they seem to have a kind of aversion. In some departments of industry they are fast ousting the white man, and this is specially notable in the tailoring trade. Their imitative powers are great; they easily copy a model, but they seem to lack the inventive faculty, which some may regard as a blessing so far as their tailors are concerned. One of the finest business establishments in Victoria was that of a Chinese outfitter, where both the capital and labor were Chinese. At the same time the Chinese themselves, unlike the Japanese, adhere to their national costume, and to Chinese habits of life. The pig-tail is cultivated and preserved, the forehead shaved, they live on a little rice, and eschew the vices of the white man. A drunken Chinaman is the rarest of sights. People often think that the Chinese make up for their abstinence from liquor by excessive opium-smoking, but I was assured that it is only a small proportion of them—the dregs of their society—that indulge in opium to anything like excess.

The Japanese on the other hand strive to copy the European model; he adopts European dress, persuades himself that it is the right thing to drink Scotch whiskey, and indulges some times in even more questionable forms of pleasure. There is a peculiarly subtle temptation for him in the white man's foibles and follies. Little Japs in evening dress do much of the waiting at hotels, and they have a strong inclination for shopkeeping, especially fancy stores. Speaking generally, they are deemed to be less honest and trustworthy than the Chinese in their bargains, and a very unjust estimate of the Chinese character has been drawn from Bret Harte's poem on the "Heathen Chinee." In fact, Chinamen are said to be perfectly honest until and unless someone attempts to deceive them, then it is a case of Greek meeting Greek—if one may use the expression—and in the contest the chances are that John will get the best of it.

You drink your Own Heath

when you drink Abbey's Salt. Extracted from the juice of pure fruits, it is both a giver and preserver of health.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt

is recommended by physicians because it purifies the blood, cleanses the stomach, invigorates the liver and gently regulates the bowels. It keeps the head clear, the eyes bright and the complexion good.

Insist on "Abbey's."

OBITUARY.

Funeral of Samuel Clay Largely attended—Other Interments.

The funeral of the late Samuel Clay, who died at Ladysmith on the 8th inst., took place Sunday afternoon. Services were conducted at the rooms of W. J. Hanna and at the graveside by the Rev. E. G. Miller, and the following gentlemen acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. W. T. Hardaker, Richard Penketh, J. Nicholson, J. Meldram, N. Noble and Geo. Greenwood. Many flowers were presented, including a large piece from the Woodmen of the World.

The remains of Francis Fora Mitchell, aged 4 years and 6 months, son of T. G. Mitchell, chief engineer of the Charmer, were interred at Ross Bay cemetery yesterday morning. The funeral took place from Hanna's undertaking rooms. The remains arrived on the San Francisco boat. Death was from cerebral meningitis.

The remains of Charles Gilbert., Pr., R. M. L. I., of H. M. S. Shearwater, who died on Saturday at the Naval hospital, will be buried tomorrow at 10 a.m. Death was caused from meningitis.

A Little Olive Branch.—"How did you come to select Olive as a name for your baby?" "Well, you see, my wife's father objected to our marriage, and when the little one came he forgave us, so we thought it was no more than right to let her have proper credit."—Chicago Record-Herald.

"There's only one trouble about that new author." "And what's that?" "Why, every time a book of his is successful he whirls right in and writes another!"—Atlanta Constitution.

P. D. CORSETS

FRENCH

The most essential element in making a woman's figure perfect is a Corset conforming to her figure. There is no excuse if she does not wear them. We have 30 varieties of P. D. Corsets, moulded on living models, to choose from. Your dry goods dealer has them in stock, or can get them. Ask to see them.

From $1.00 Per Pair

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Potted Plants, Pots, Furniture, Horse, Buggy, Dump Cart.

Particulars in tomorrow's Colonist and Times.

Office and salerooms 53 Blanchard street.

F. J. BITTENCOURT, Auctioneer.

Phone B. 518.

Opening of Hockey Season

Vancouver Defeats the Navy By a Score of 5 to 1.

J. B. A. A. Protest the Umpire's Decision In Saturday's Basketball Match.

The first match of the league was played this afternoon at the Naval Canteen grounds, between Vancouver and the Navy, resulting in a win for Vancouver, the score being 5 to 1. The Vancouver team was composed of the following: Musgatroyd, centre; Machaffie, inside left; Melhuish, outside left; Ponsford, inside right; Cambie, outside right; Innes, left half back; Crickway, centre half back; Beecher, right half back; Humphries, left three-quarter; Stevens, right three-quarter; Rome, goal.

On Saturday a meeting of representatives from the following clubs, Victoria, Vancouver, Work Point Barracks, and the Royal Navy met at the office of Cornwall & Rogers, to form a hockey league. Provisions were made for admitting any other clubs that may wish to join. There are other clubs being formed in Nanaimo and New Westminster, which will not enter the league this season, but will wait until next year, when they will be able to make a better fight for the championship. The constitution was adopted and officers elected as follows: Honorary president, Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere; honorary vice-presidents, Hon. C. E. Pooley, K. C., and C. M. Beecher (Vancouver); president, G. Gillespie; first vice-president, J. H. Senkler (Vancouver); second vice-president, M. F. Blandy (Barracks); secretary, I. M. Rogers; managing committee, A. W. Woodward, G. Crickmay (Vancouver), and Sergt.-Major Thomas.

BASKETBALL.

The match last Saturday evening between the J. B. A. A. and Victoria West has been protested by the J. B. A. A.

The Fernwood Young Men's basketball team played a friendly game with a team composed of members of the police force last evening, resulting in an easy victory for the Fernwoods.

A match between the Capital City intermediate and Fernwood intermediates takes place on Friday evening at the Y. A. C. club rooms, on Fort street. The senior Capital cities had a very good practice last night preparatory to meeting the Fernwoods on Saturday week.

The Y. A. C. and Victoria West intermediates will play this evening at the Y. A. C. club rooms, on Fort street. The Y. A. C. team will be picked from the following names: C. Whitlaw, S. Porter, C. Wales, K. Hughes, C. Pike, E. Parr.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

Ken Schofield and A. Gillespie started to train in dead earnest last evening, as they leave for England on the 20th of this month, to play on the all-Canadian team.

Biliousness and Headache

Accompanied by Kidney Troubles, Extreme Sufferings and Bodily Exhaustion Cured by

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

Mr. John Wilson, a retired carpenter, who has lived in Welland, Ont., for 30 years, writes: "Some years ago I was attacked with kidney trouble, and I became so run down and emaciated that my entire appearance was suggestive of physical decline. As time went on the complaint grew worse, and became complicated with liver trouble. I had bad pains across the back, and up the spinal column, bad spells with my heart, pain under the right shoulder, bilious headache about half the time, indigestion, fever, and restlessness at night and depression of spirits.

"At times I was incapacitated for work, and had spent probably one hundred dollars in different medicines, with no perceivable results. Doctors' advice proved likewise of no avail.

"Finally, on the advice of a friend, I began taking Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and in a short time the bad symptoms began to gradually disappear, and by the time I had used five or six boxes I was enjoying better health than I had in many years, all of which is due to the virtues of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

"Since my recovery I have advised others to profit by my experience. Some have done so and are well, while others did not and have succumbed to this dreadful disease. I am a living witness to the value of that great medicine, and I am full of enthusiasm in imparting the good news to others who are afflicted as I was."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box. At all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Selling What Pleases

The Big B Cigar

They'll Sell Themselves.

Telephone B-779. H. Behnsen & Co.

ANOTHER CONSIGNMENT OF NEW GOODS

Consisting of HANDSOME SIDEBOARDS AND EXTENSION TABLES, DINING CHAIRS, MORRIS RECLINING CHAIRS, ETC., at Prices Lower than ever. Call in and be convinced.

THE B. C. FURNITURE CO., Ltd.

J. SEHL, Manager

TEAS.

You don't need to drink three or four cups to get the benefit of Rickshaw Ceylon Tea. There is all the flavor and all the stimulus in the first cup. This is one thing that it is impossible to counterfeit. First quality in tea is always worth its weight in gold to tea drinkers who know good tea when it is brewed.

Rickshaw Tea & Coffee Store

62 Fort St. Phone 128.

Overcoat Time...

Right now is the time to select and wear your new overcoat. The stock is at its best, the weather is overcoatable, and you may be sure the prices are at the very lowest notch for the quality of the garment. We have a special offering of genuine Frieze ulster overcoats, extra heavy, made with large storm collar, large buttons, square pockets, double-breasted, and lined with good quality grey tweed, for $6.50 in all sizes.

Navy Blue Beaver Overcoats, in single and double-breasted styles, velvet collars, sateen linings, all exposed seams sewn with silk, for $6.50, $8.00, $10.00, $12.00 and $15.00 each.

Oxford Grey Overcoats, in a variety of new effects, swell overcoats with broad military shoulders, velvet collars, and best trimmings at $8.00, $10.00, $12.00 and $15.00.

Toppy top coats, in those convenient short walking lengths, in Fawn, Drab and Grey whipcords and covert cloths, at $9.00, $10.00 and $12.00 each.

Boys' Oxford Grey Overcoats, with slash pockets, square shoulders and velvet collars, just like papa's, $5.00 and $6.00 each.

Boys' Navy Blue Overcoats, Velvet Collars, Sateen Lining and splendidly made, sizes 28 to 33, at $4.50, $5.25 and $5.50 each.

Boys' Reefer top coats, in all sizes, from 3-years-old up to 18 years, $1.25 to $4.50 each.

Youths' Ulster Overcoats, Oxford grey frieze cloth, with large storm collars and tweed lining, sizes 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35, for $5.00 each.

Men's Fine Gloves

in extra quality Mocra and Dogskin lined with silk, in grey, brown and tan colors, $1.25 and $1.50 pair.

Fine kid gloves, wool lined, ball and socket fastners, all colors, at 60c., 75c., $1.00 and $1.25 pair.

Extra quality wool gloves, made in Glasgow, warm, serviceable and inexpensive at 60c. pair.

Hard knit wool gloves, 50c. pair, machine knit, 25c. pair.

W. G. CAMERON,

Victoria's Cheapest Cash Clothier, 55 Johnson Street

CHRISTMAS GOODS

Prices less than can be obtained at Department Stores, either in Montreal or Toronto.

Elgin or Waltham Watches from $6.00

22 Carat English Hall Marked wedding Rings . . . . . $1.50 dwt.

Ladies' Solid 14 Karat Gold Stemwind (Hunting or Closed Cased) Waltham or Elgin Watch, splendidly engraved $20.00

A very large assortment of Diamond and other gem rings, which will be found the best and cheapest ever brought into this province.

Stoddart's Jewelry Store

63-65 Yates St., Victoria B.C.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Ry.

Time Table No. 45. Effective October 25th, 1902.

Northbound. Leave.	Daily. A.M.	Southbound. Arrive P.M.
Victoria	9:00	12:00
Shawnigan Lake	10:20	10:46
Duncans	11:00	10:02
Ladysmith	11:57	9:10
	P.M.	
Nanaimo	12:40	8:20
Ar. Wellington	12:53	Lv. 8:00

Northbound. Leave.	Sat., Sun. & Wed. P.M.	Southbound. Arrive. P.M.
Victoria	3:00	7:00
Shawnigan Lake	4:20	5:40
Duncans	5:00	5:00
Ladysmith	6:05	4:00
Nanaimo	6:41	3:15
Ar. Wellington	7:03	3:00

Through Tickets to Crofton.

Via Westholm. Stage leaves Daily, connecting with North and South Bound trains. Double stage service Saturdays, Sundays and Wednesdays, connecting with morning and afternoon trains. Fare from Victoria, Single, $2. Return, $3.

Through Tickets Victoria to Alberni

Stage leaves Nanaimo Tuesdays and Fridays on arrival of train from Victoria. Returning leaves Alberni Mondays and Thursdays. Fare from Victoria, single, $5.20, return, $8.65.

Through Tickets Victoria to Cowichan Lake

Via Duncans. Stage leaves Duncans Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Fare from Victoria, $5.00 return.

Excursion rates in effect to all points, good Saturdays and Sundays.

A special rate of one dollar in effect from Victoria to Shawnigan Lake. Tickets good Saturdays and Sundays.

GEO. L. COURTNEY, Traffic Manager.